

# Energy Economics and Environment

## Lecture 6



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The electrical system 2

**Generation  
(power stations)**

# Markets refresher

Lev S. Belyaev

# Electricity Market Reforms

Economics and Policy Challenges

Belyaev (2011, p.225):

“In the short run, the relationships between average variable and the total costs of power plants and the annual electricity output do not have an U-shaped form (with minimum).”

“Thus, power plants should participate in the competitive wholesale market **with their total (but not marginal**, as it is accepted in the theory of microeconomics) costs not to be a bankrupt.”

Consumer:

Maximum buying price

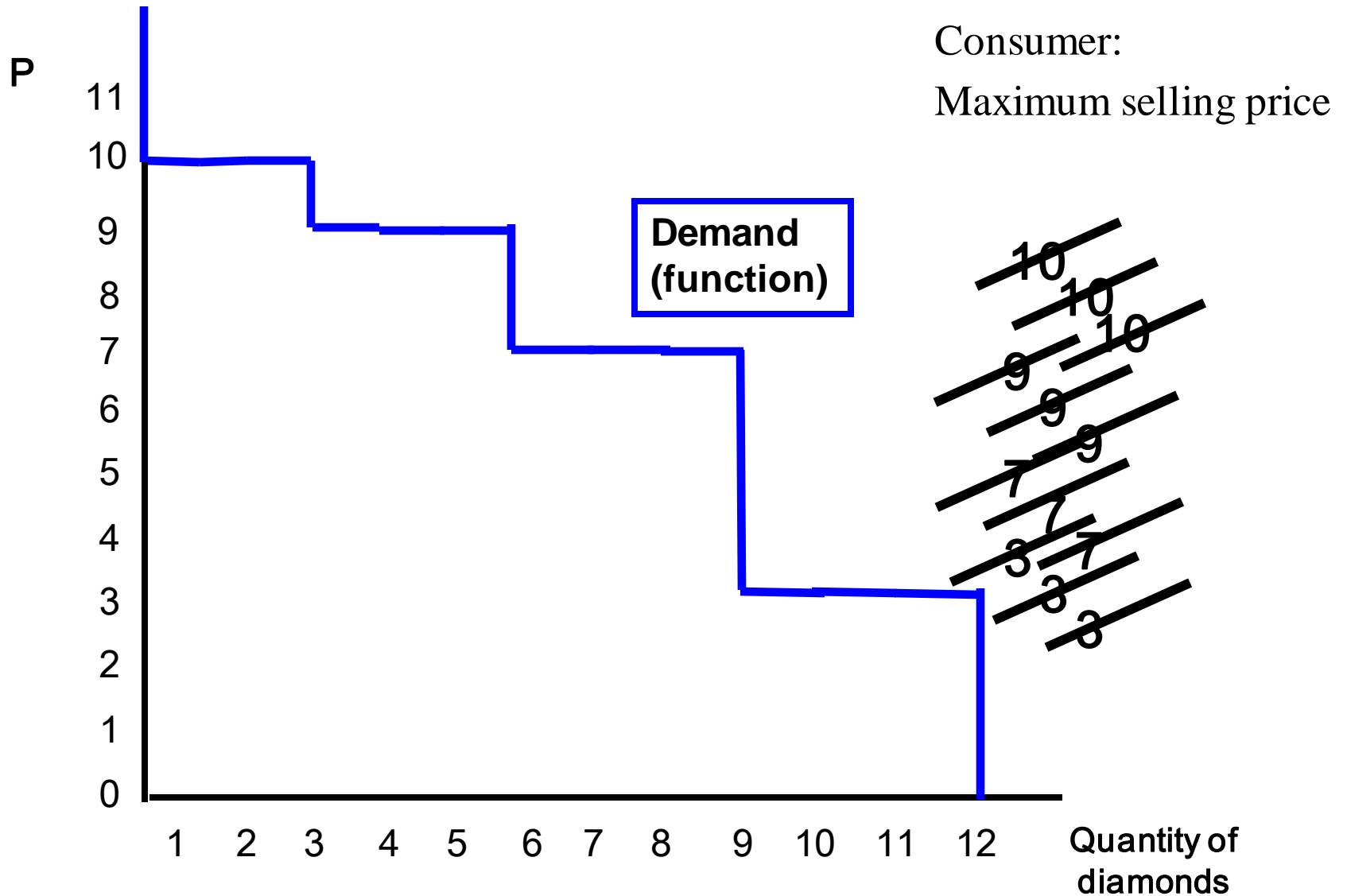
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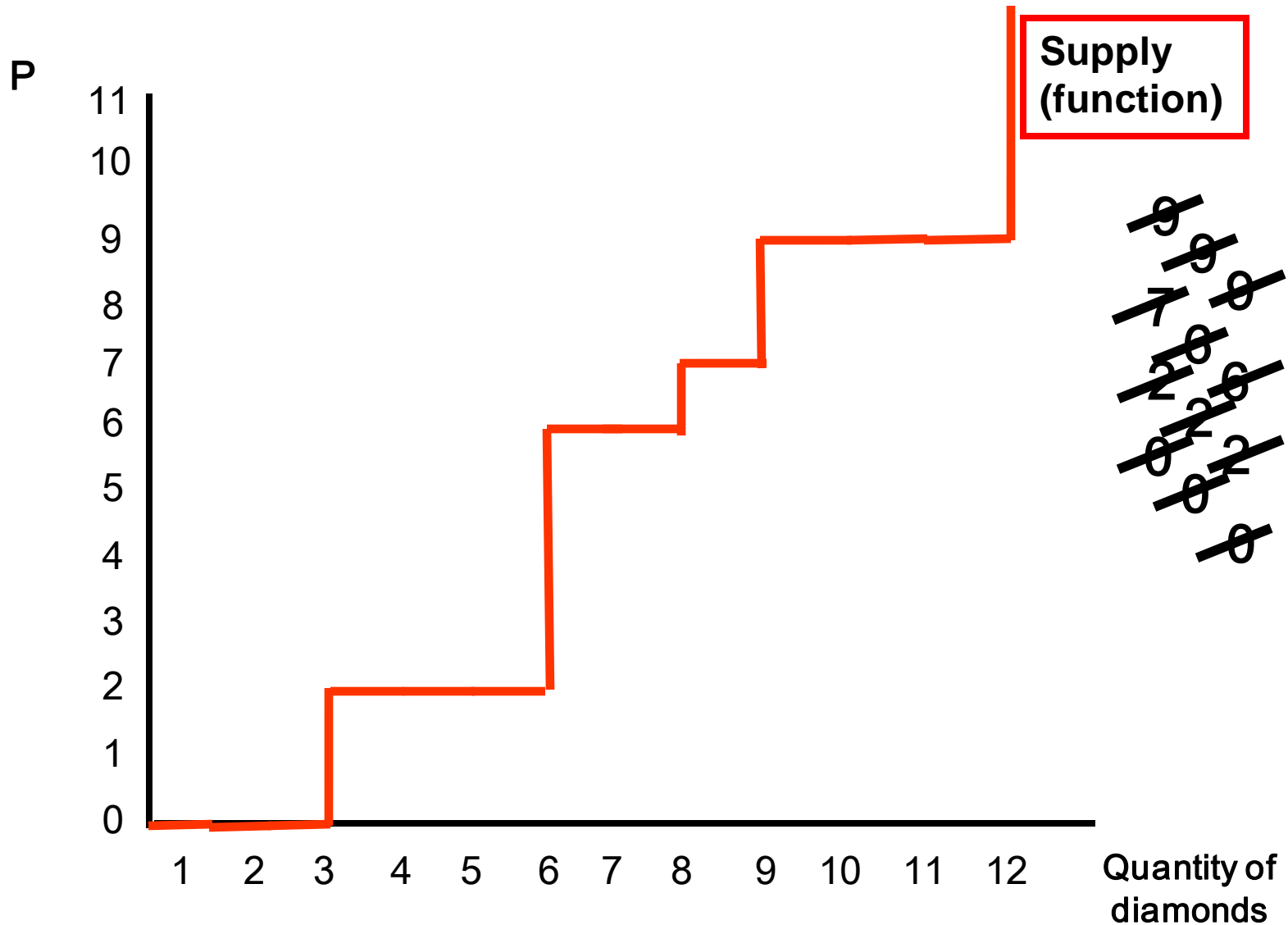
Minimal selling price

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# Deriving a the equilibrium price

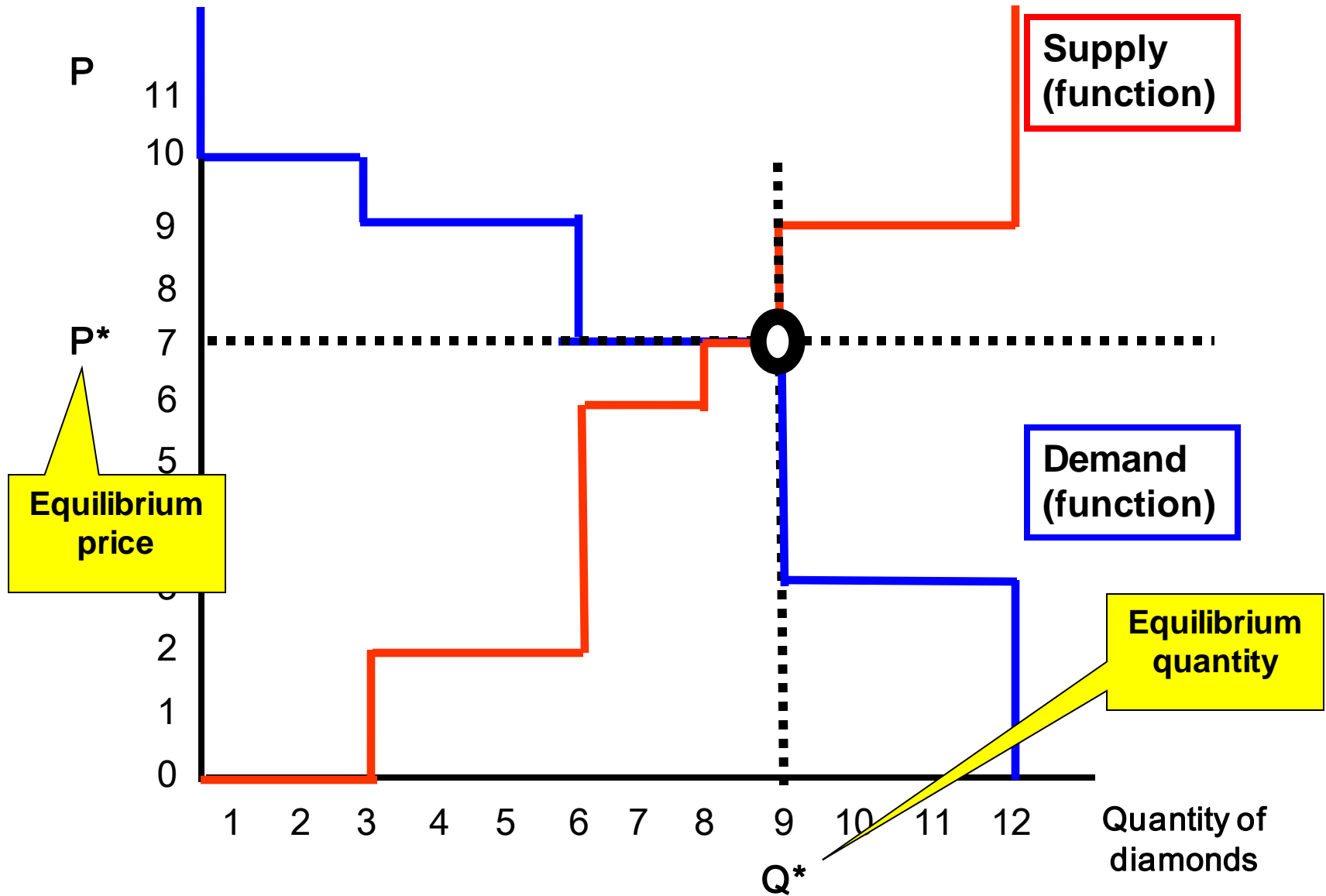


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Free market mechanism imposes a rich structure

# Looking at total welfare

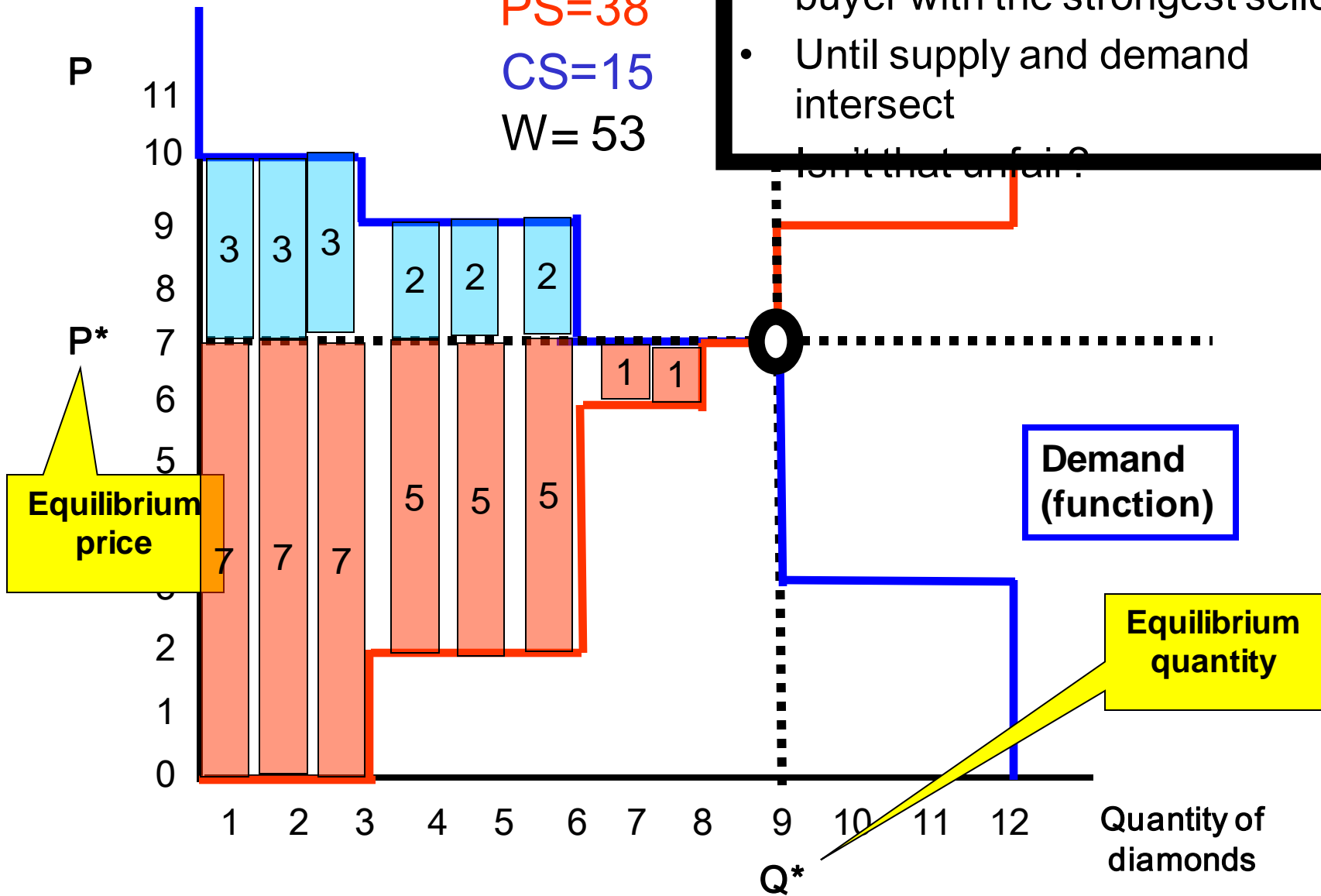
PS=38

CS=15

W= 53

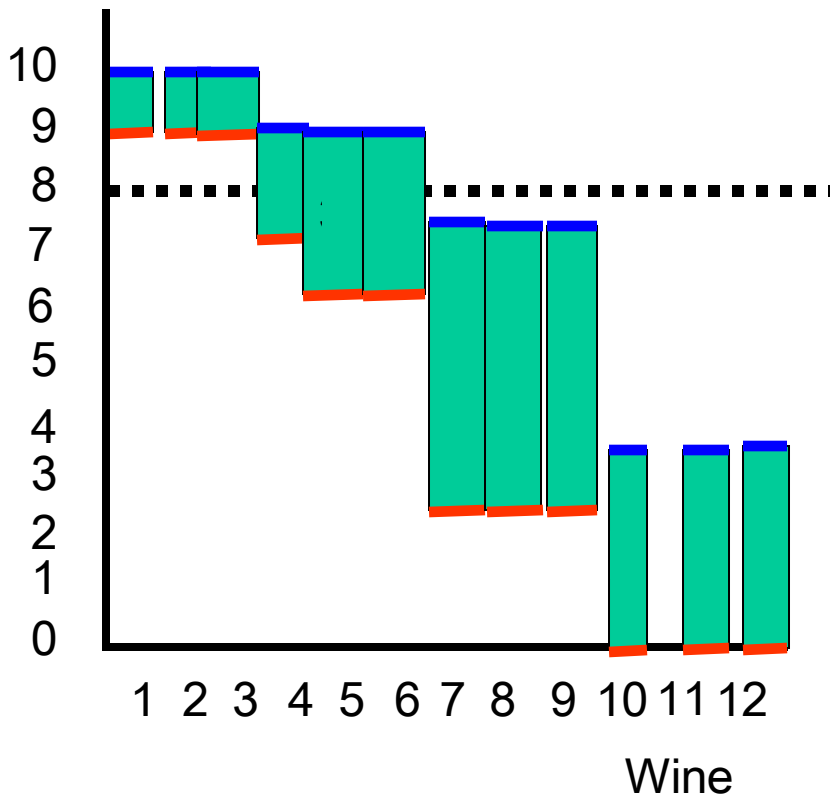
- You always pair the strongest buyer with the strongest seller.
- Until supply and demand intersect

Isn't that unfair?

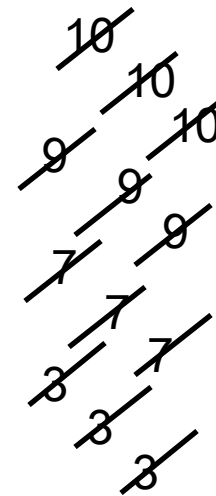


# Other possible arrangements: Communist “fair” dictator

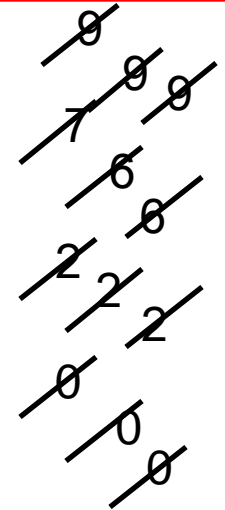
Could this be more efficient?



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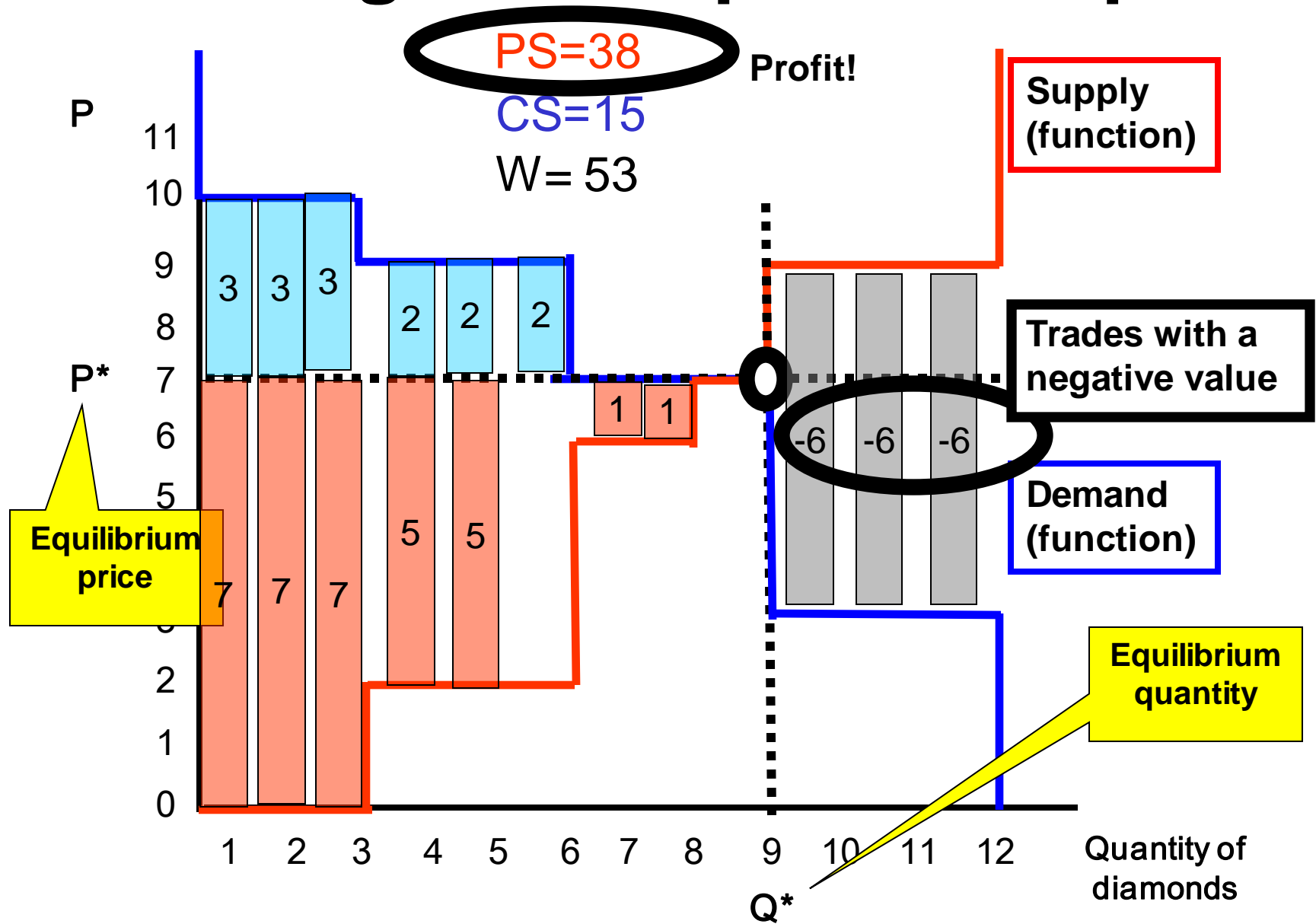
Producer



W= 35  
W(Free market)=53  
(difference =18)

Free market maximizes  
 $W=CS+PS$

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Prices in purely competitive  
markets (energy- only markets)

# Uniform price auction

\$/MWH

Baseload plants  
(MC=0)

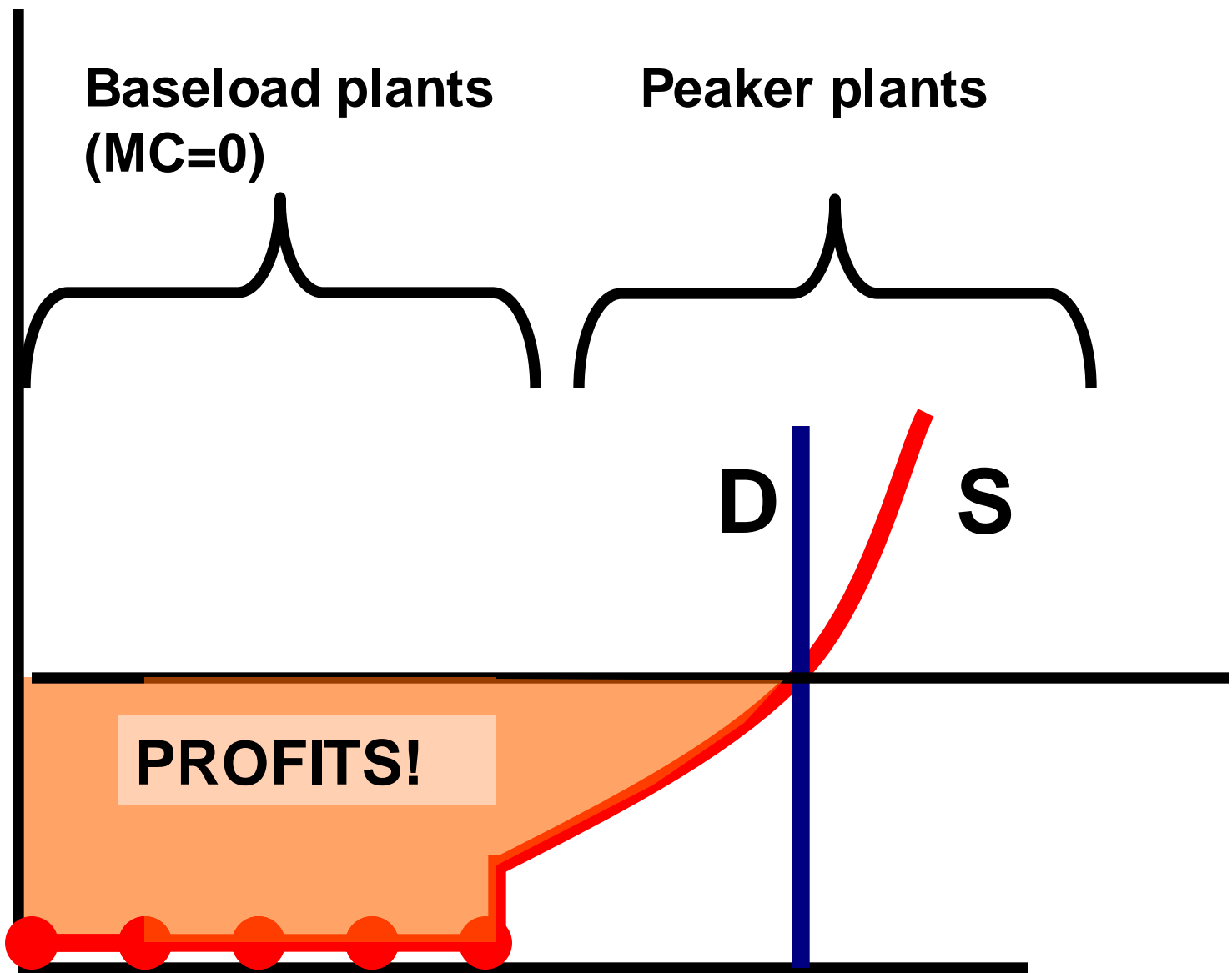
Peaker plants

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PROFITS!



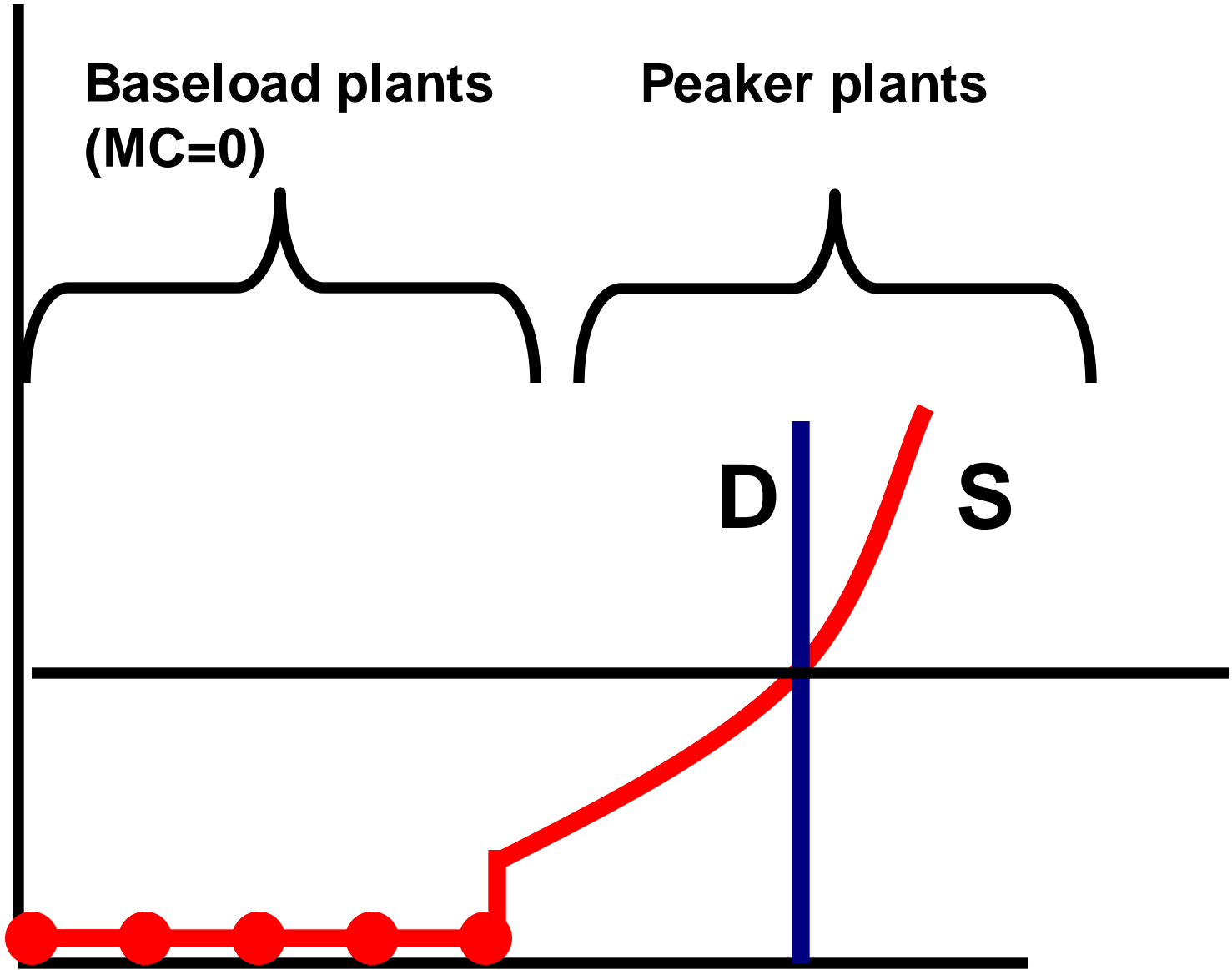
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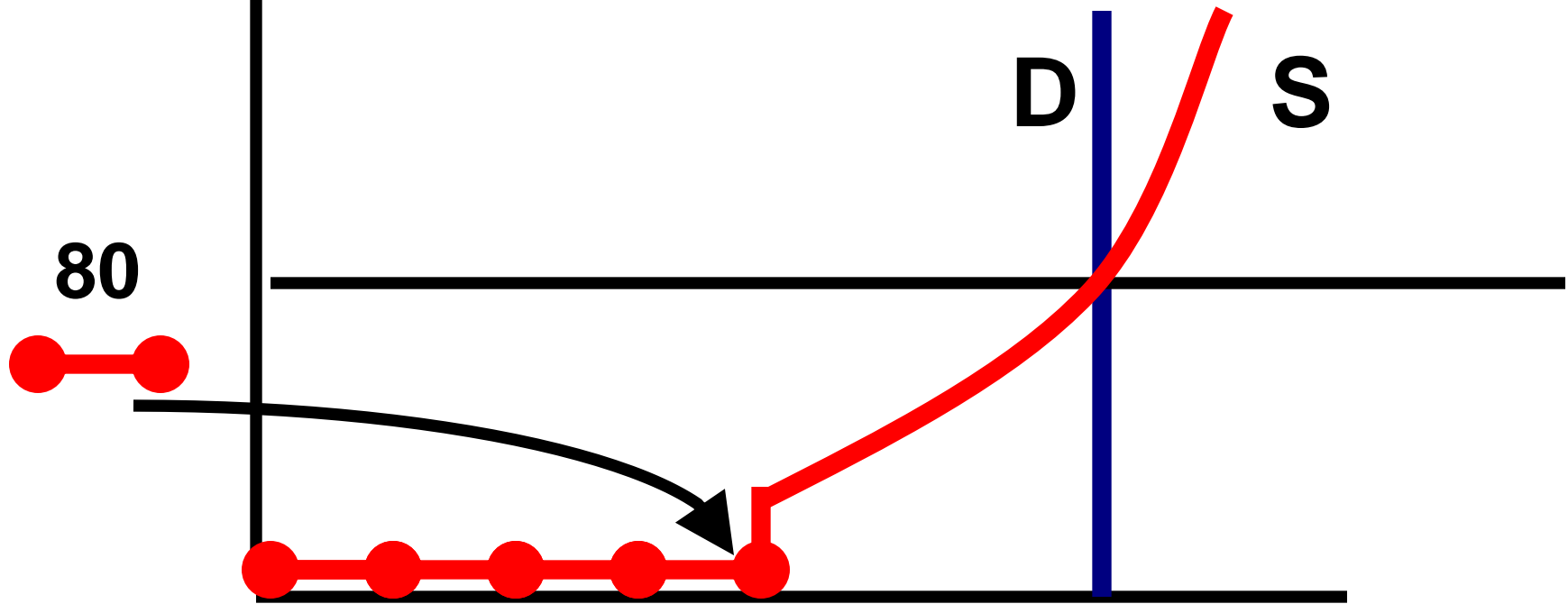


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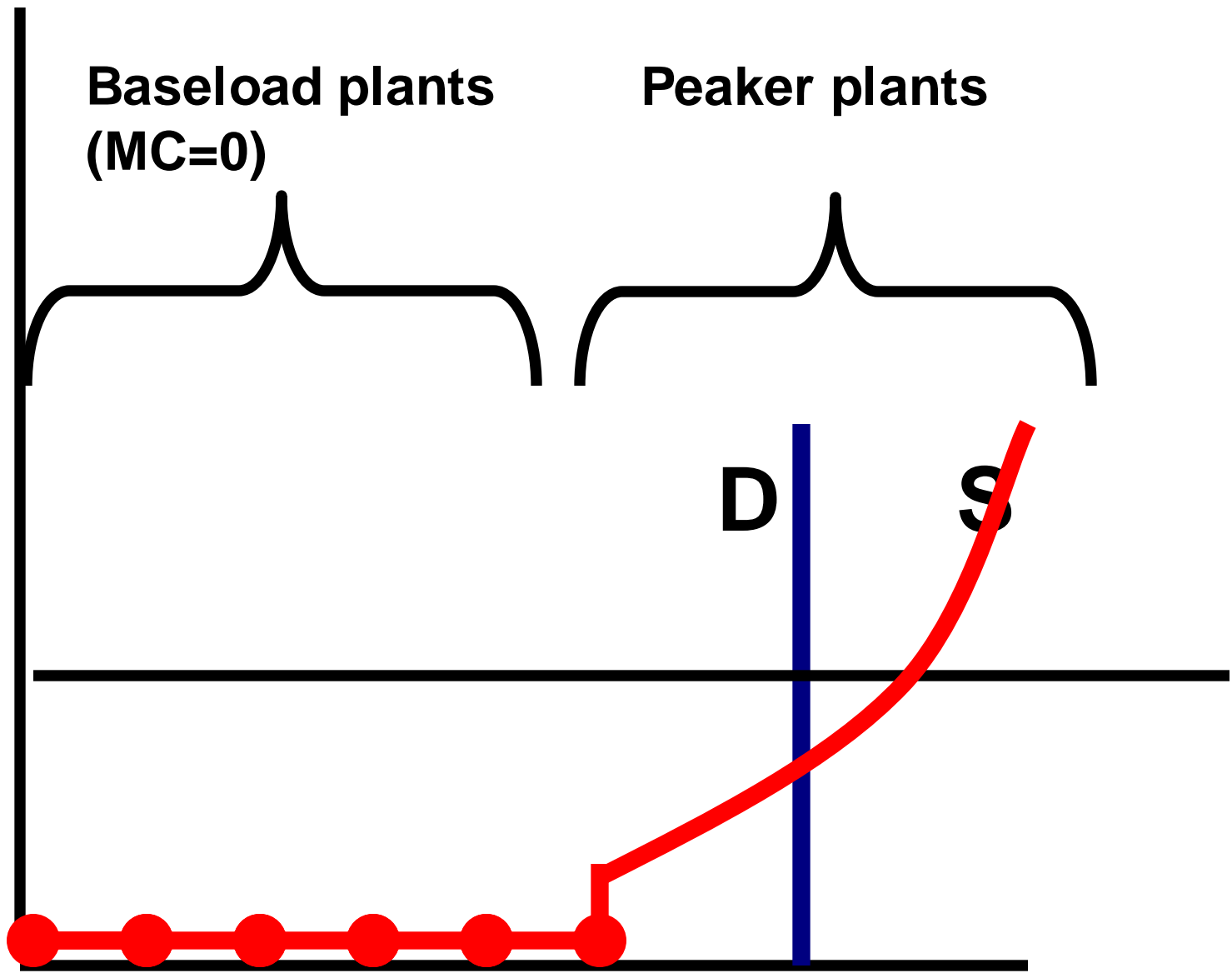
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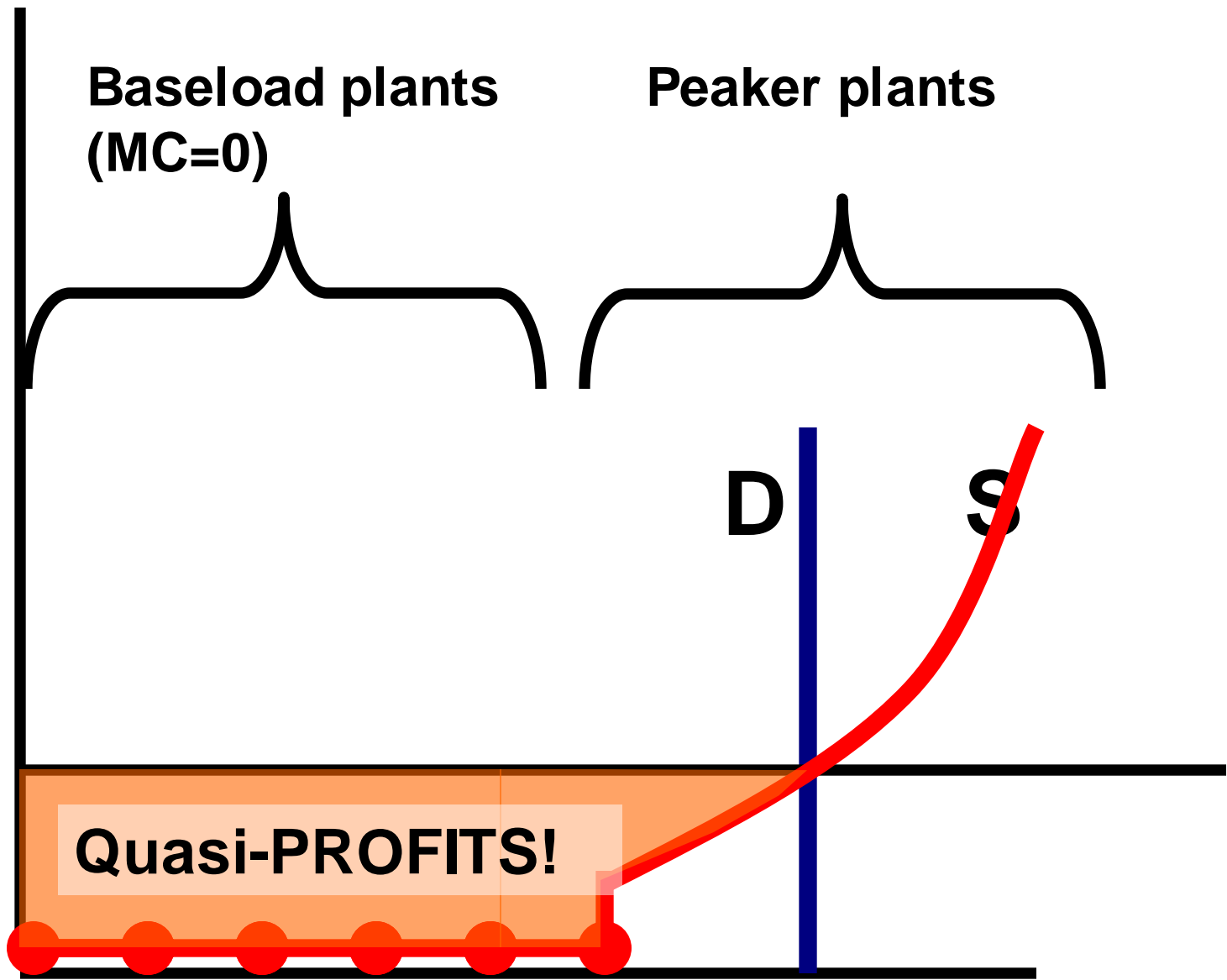
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**Quasi-PROFITS!**

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## Peak-load pricing

$$L[\vec{Q}_S, K, \vec{\mu}_S] = \sum \alpha_S \cdot (U_S[Q_S] - cQ_S) - f \cdot K + \sum^S \alpha_S \cdot \mu_S (K - Q_S)$$

$$Q_S : U_S'[Q_S] = c + \mu_S \quad \# S \text{ equations}$$

$$K : f = \sum \alpha_S \mu_S \quad 1 \text{ equation}$$

$$\mu_S : \mu_S (K - Q_S) = 0, \mu_S \geq 0, (K - Q_S) \geq 0 \quad \# S \text{ equations}$$

If using up to capacity  $Q_S = K$

$$\text{Then } \mu \geq 0 \quad \Rightarrow U_S'[Q_S] = c + \mu_S \geq c$$

If using less than capacity  $Q_S < K$

$$\text{Then } \mu = 0 \quad \Rightarrow U_S'[Q_S] = c$$

The fixed costs are recovered by the charges  $\mu$

Thus only the ones that use the full capacity contribute to cost-recovery!

Is this what is applied?

Yes, but often not: costs are “socialized” (average tariffs over all consumers)

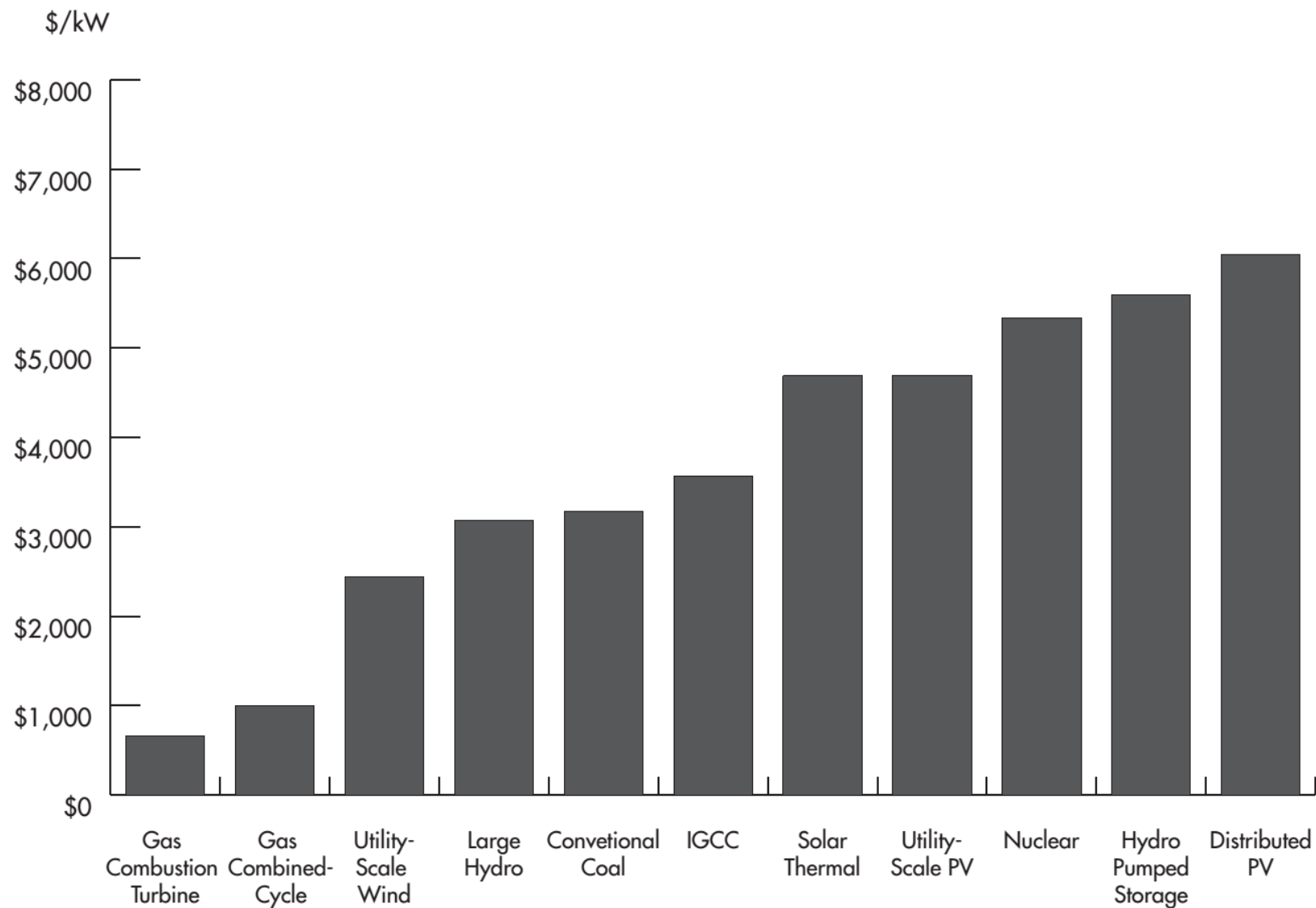
Thus not optimal (trade-off of efficiency, complexity and “fairness”)

$$K : f = \sum_s \alpha_s \mu_s$$

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# Optimal Dispatch

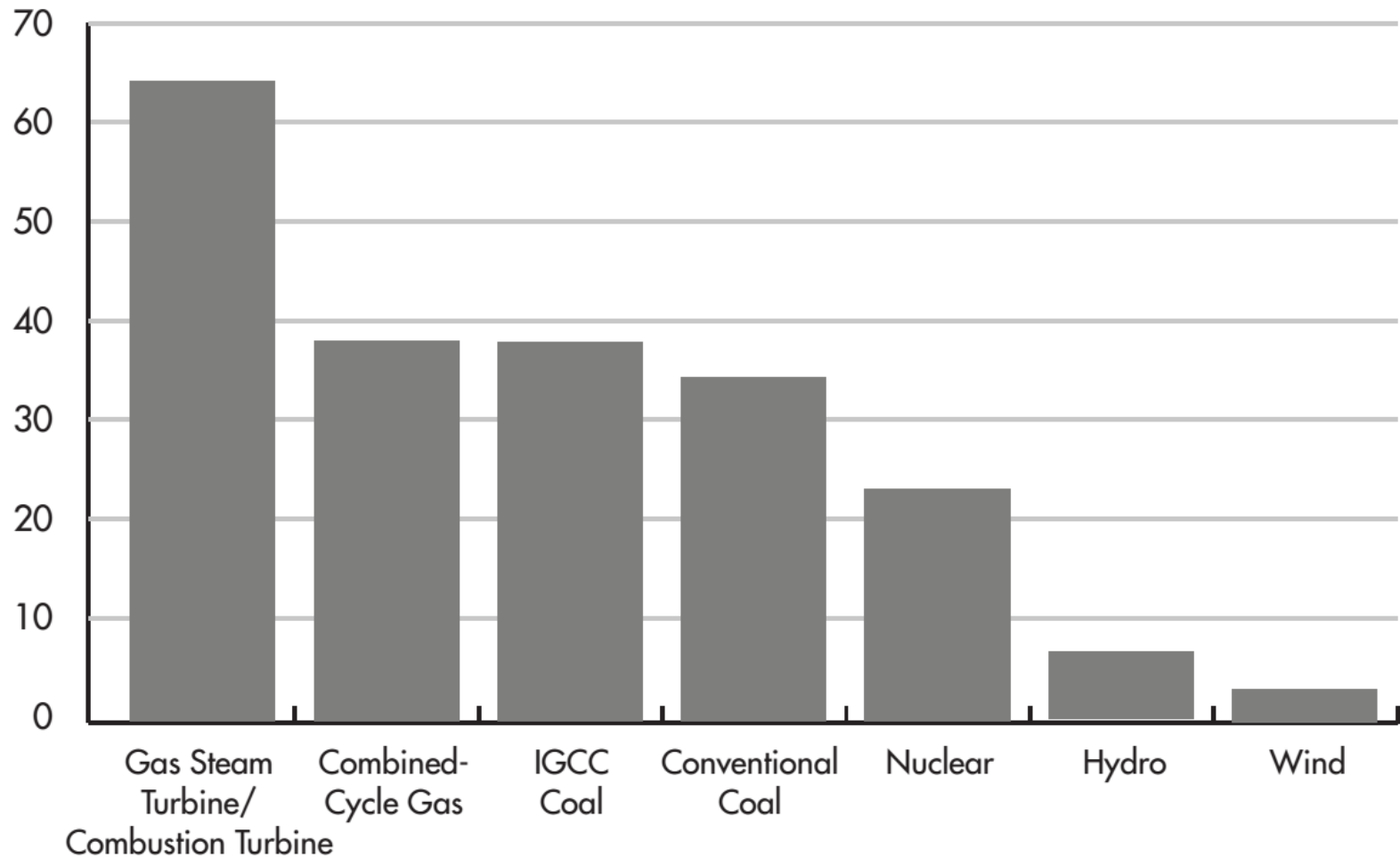
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Source: EIA AEO 2011

# VARIABLE OPERATING COSTS OF GENERATION

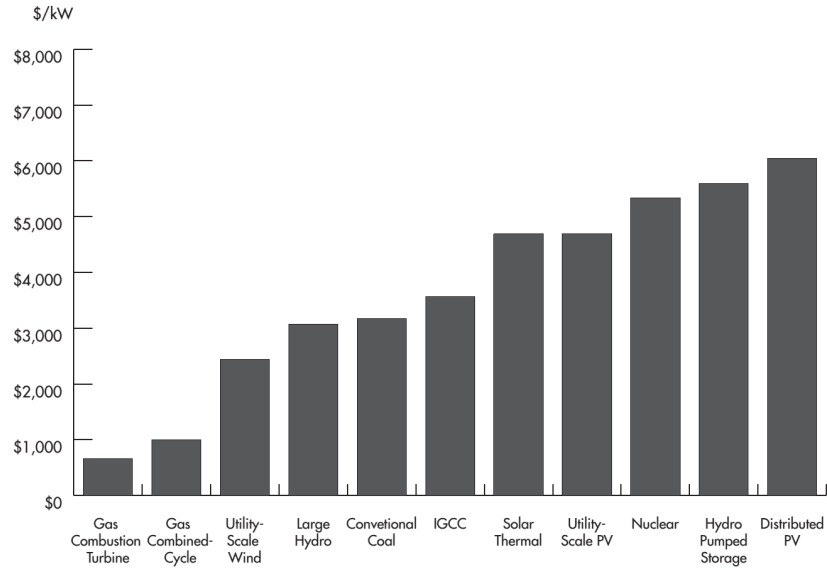
\$/MWh\*



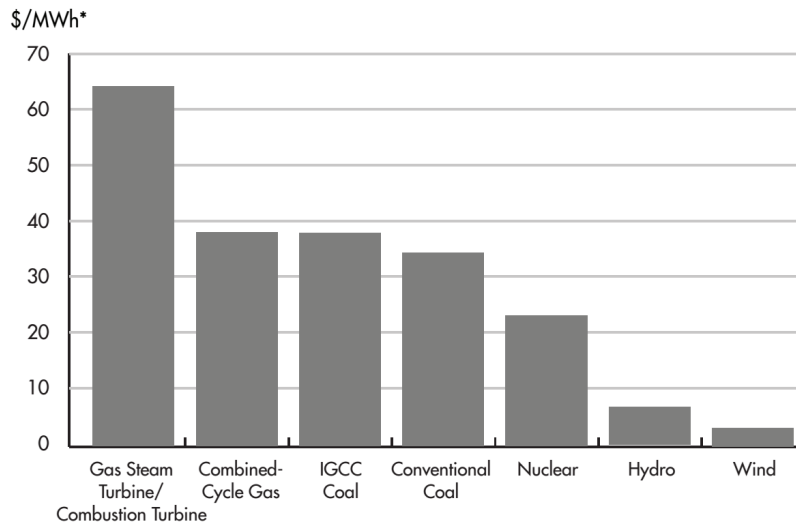
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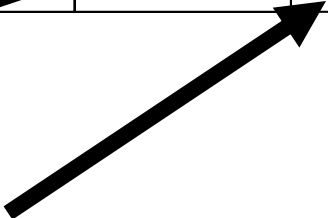
# Levelized costs of generation

Technology Costs Table

Fixed cost	Power (MW)	years	Days/ year	Hrs/ day	Hrs / year	total hours	FC/ MWh
1,300,000,000							
5,000,000,000							

≈10

≈40



# Multitude of generation types

Technology Costs Table

	Fixed cost per MWh	Variable cost per MWh
Baseload	40	0
Midload	20	30
Peaker	10	50

Trade-off:

Economics of scale

**Baseload power plants**

Nuclear

Coal

**Midload power plants**

Gas -CCGT

Flexibility

**Peaker power plants**

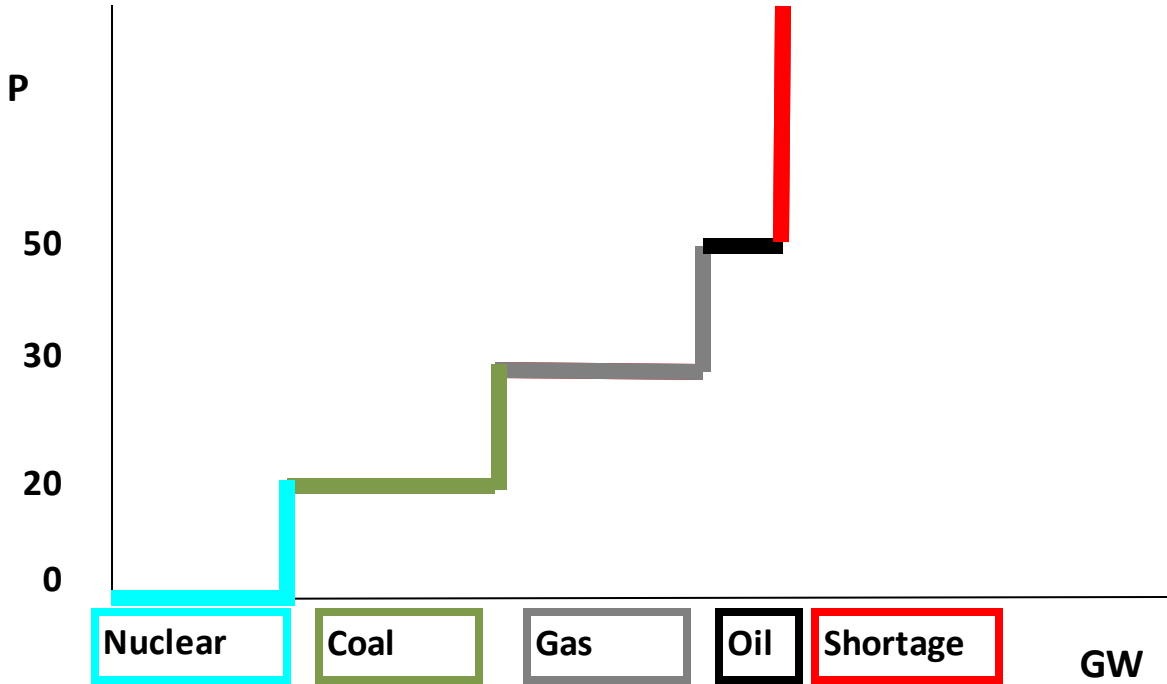
Gas -OCGT

Oil

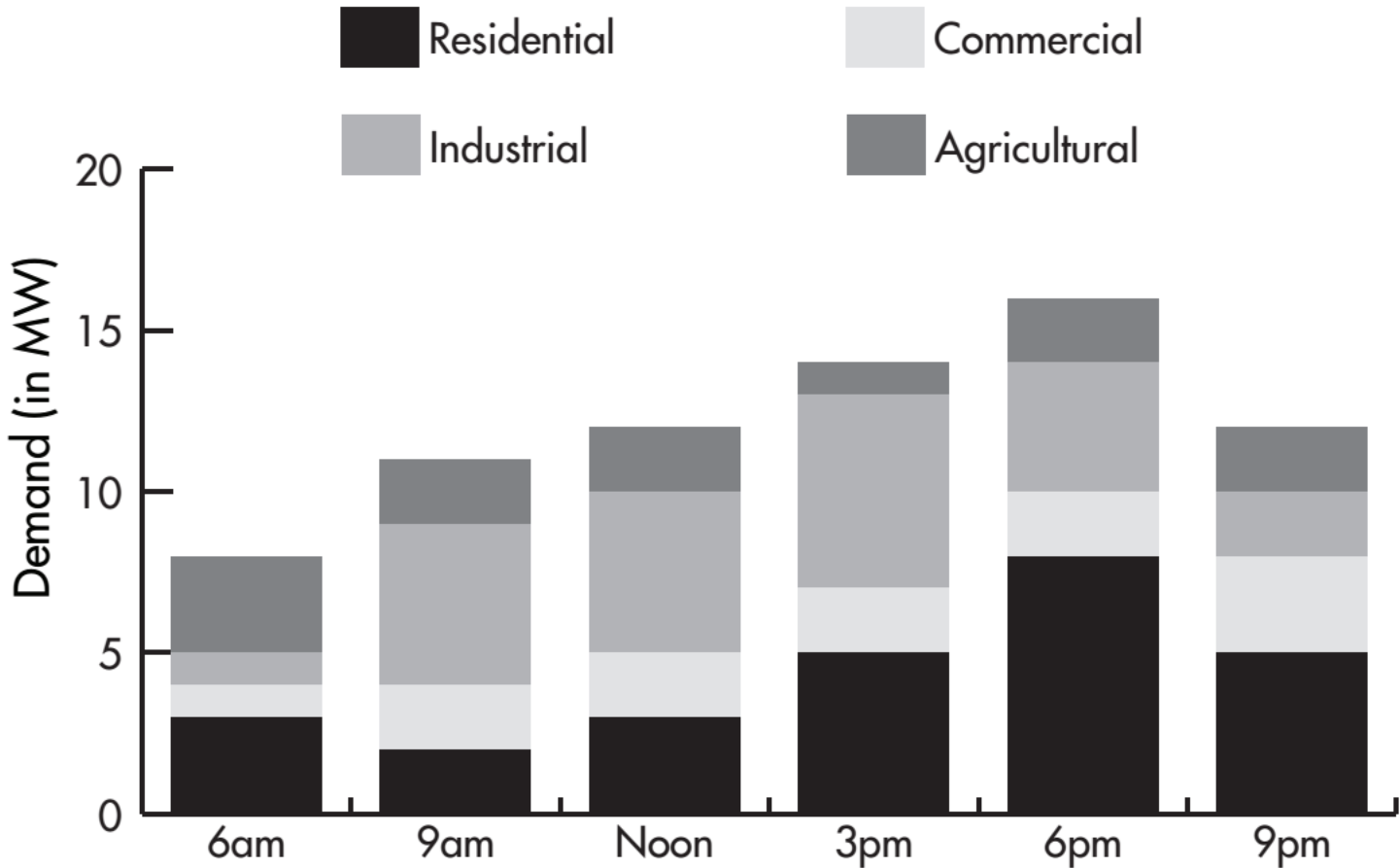
Shortage- curtailment

# The supply stack

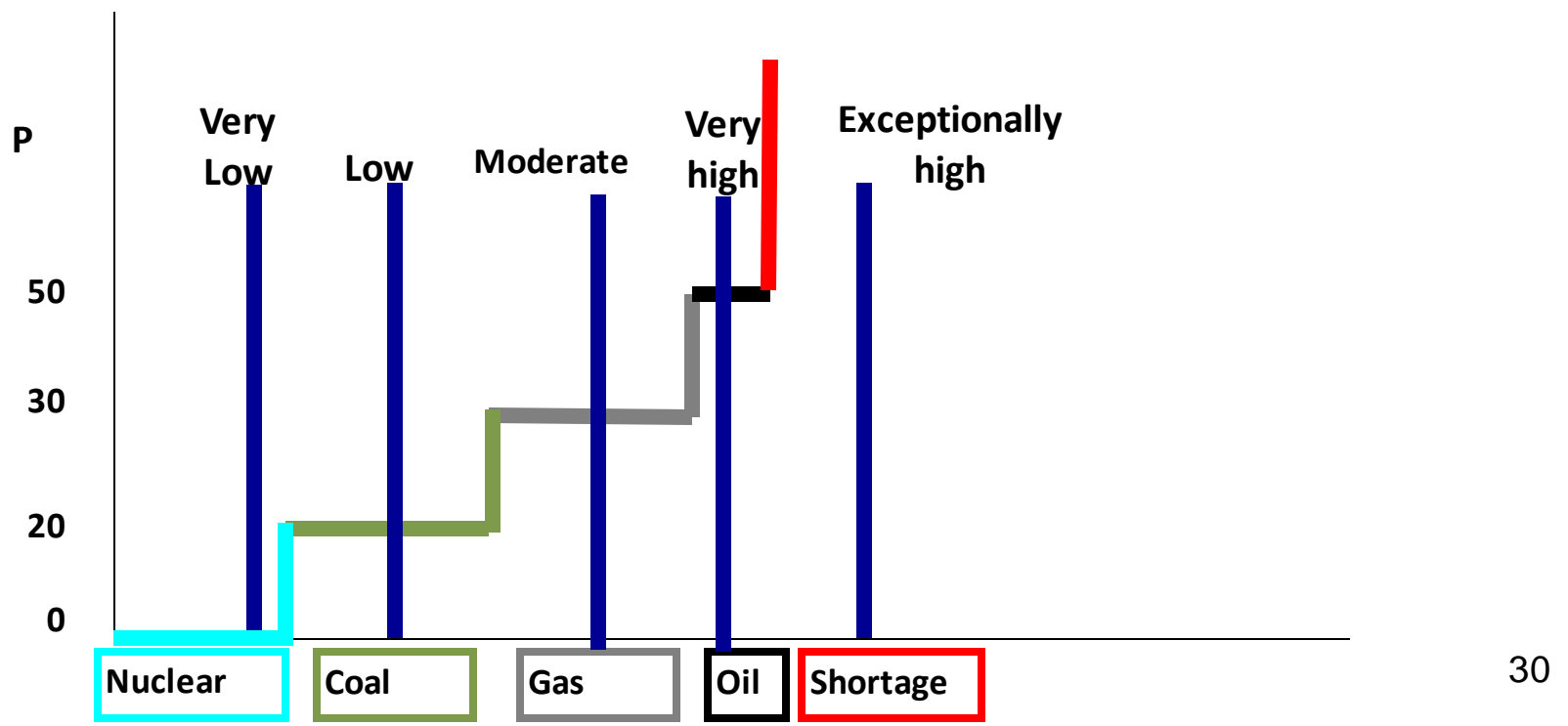
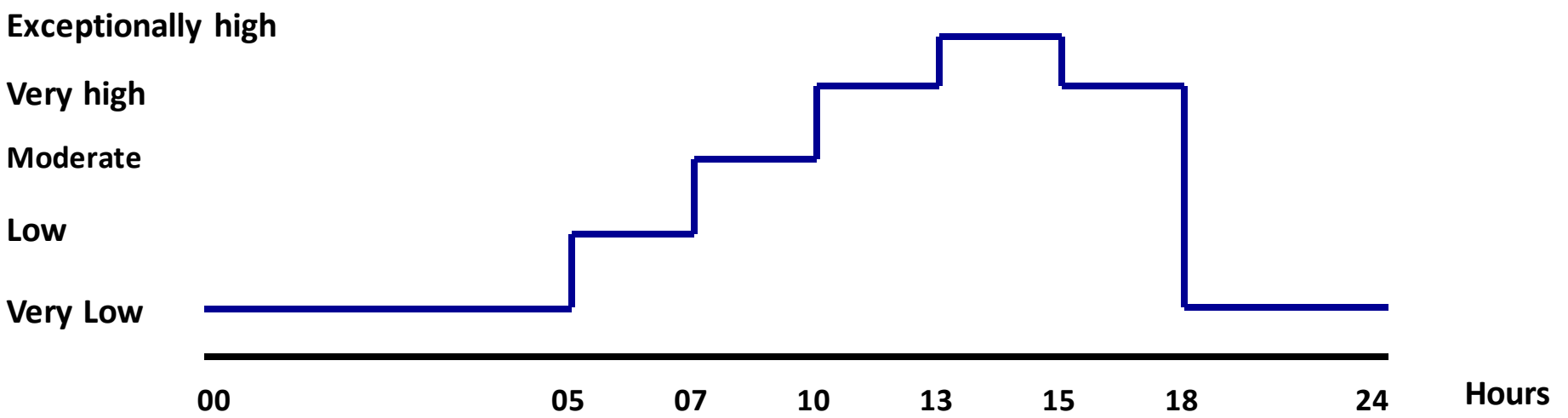
(also called "merit order")

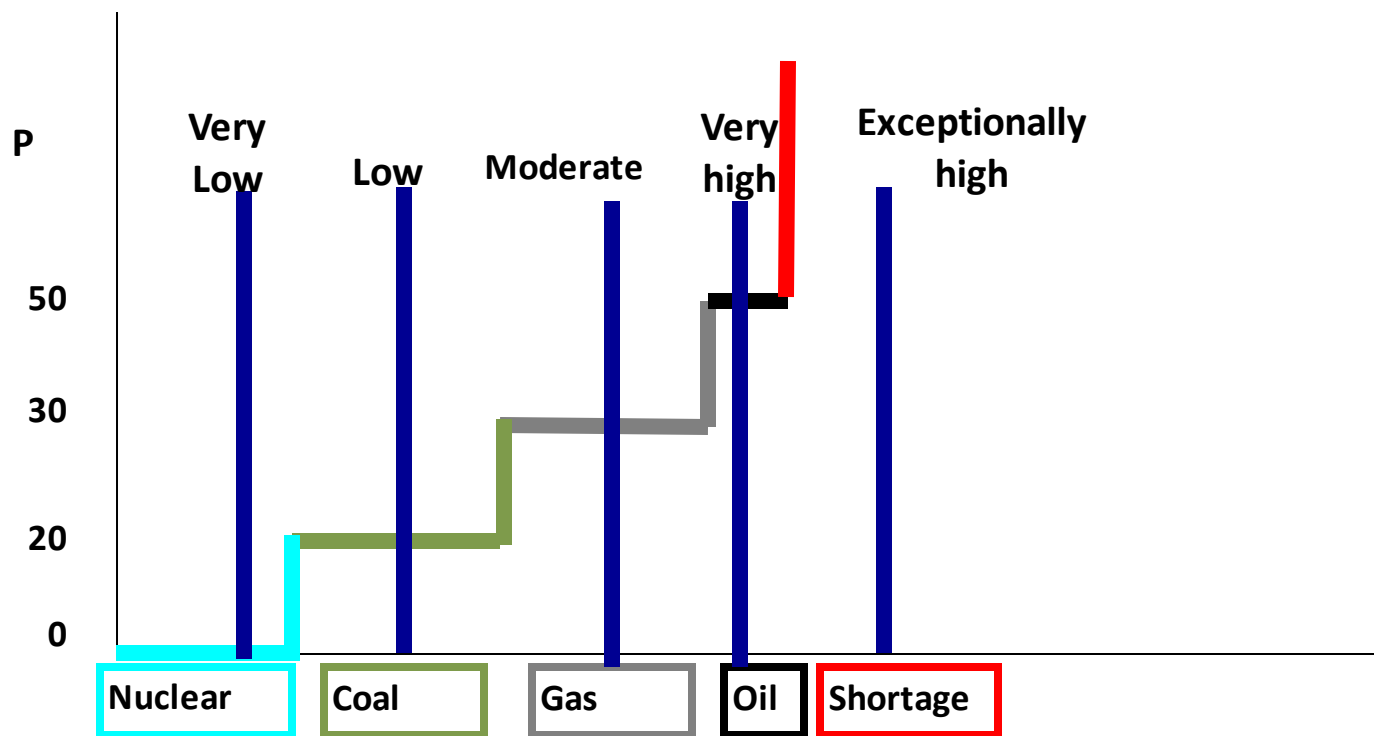
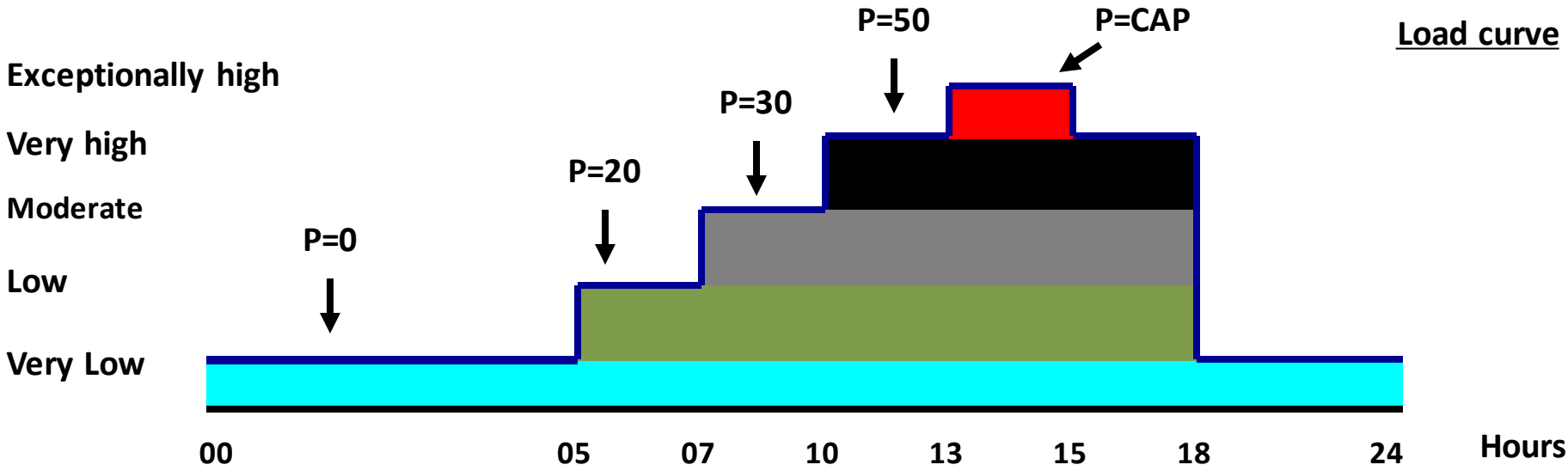


# TYPICAL LOAD SHAPE - HOURLY



# Load curve





# Monopoly treatment

You are Subject no.2 in Group no. 2 -- Period 1 of 4; There are - including you - 1 producers in your group

CHOOSE: Choose generation plants and your bids

Remaining time [sec]: 87

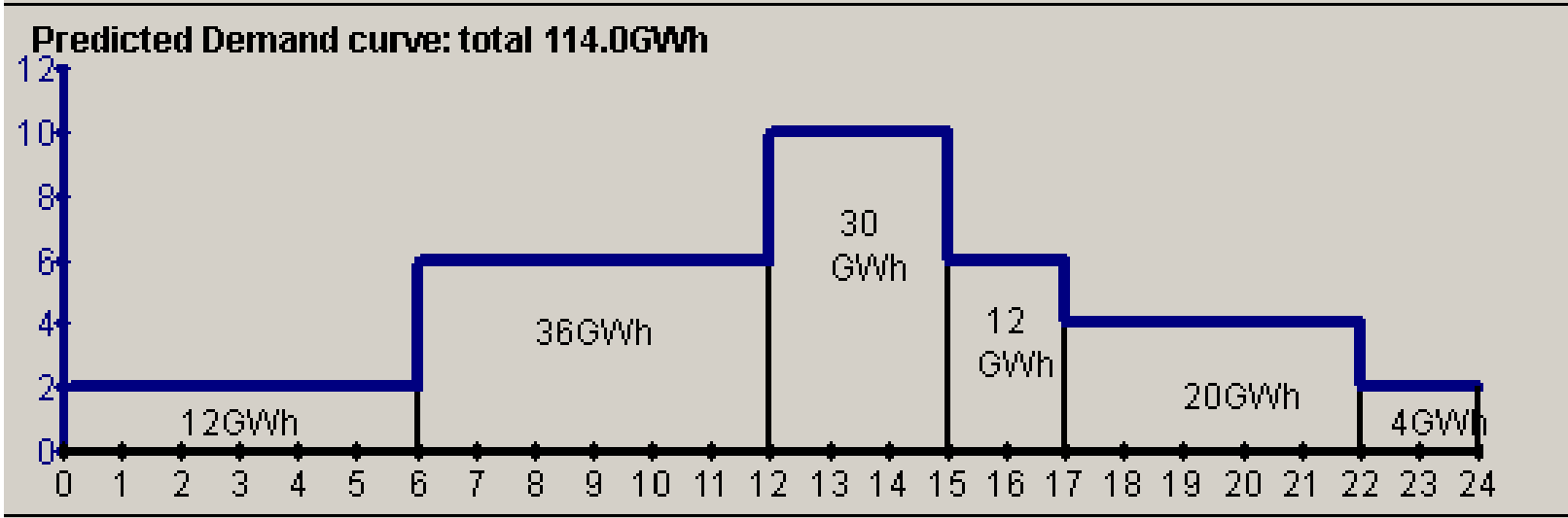
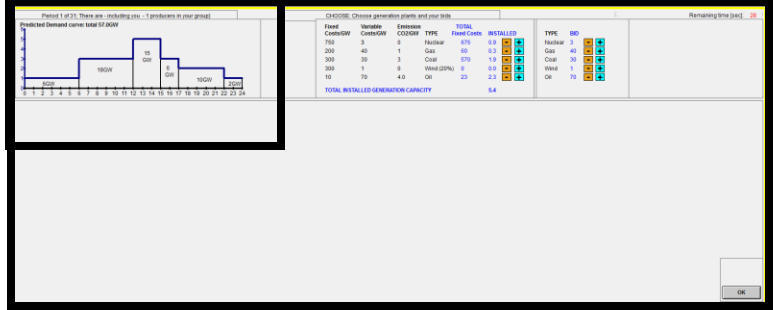
Predicted Demand Profile: total 57.0GWh

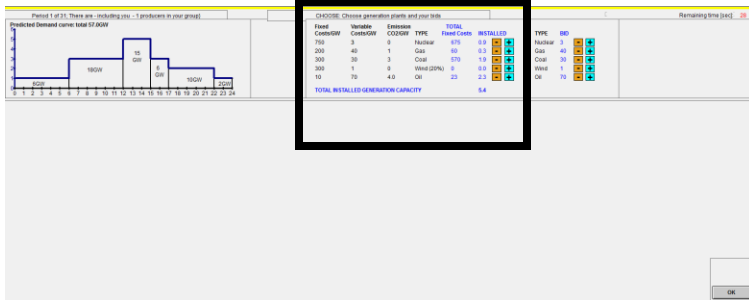
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750	3	0	Nuclear	675	0.9	Nuclear	3
200	40	1	Gas	60	0.3	Gas	40
300	30	3	Coal	570	1.9	Coal	30
300	1	0	Wind (20%)	0	0.0	Wind	1
10	70	4.0	Oil	23	2.3	Oil	70
<b>TOTAL INSTALLED GENERATION CAPACITY</b>					<b>5.4</b>		

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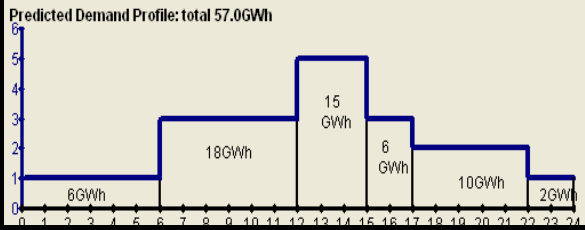






### TABLE 2. Energy generation plants and fuel mix

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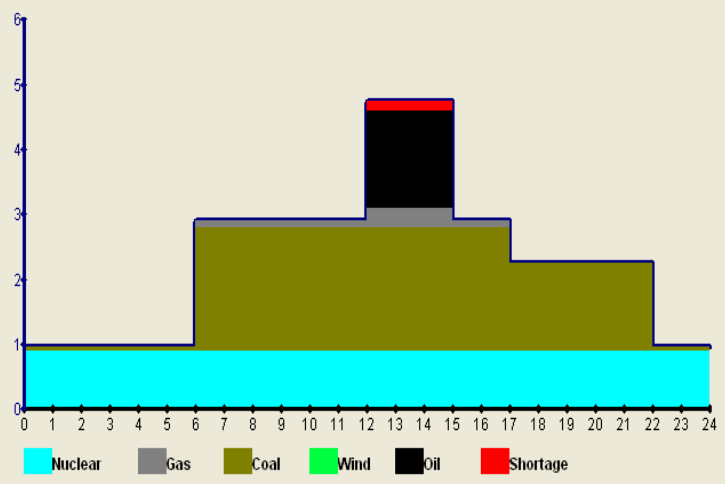
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TOTAL INSTALLED GENERATION CAPACITY 4.6

Results LAST ROUND

Realized Demand Profile: total 56.4GWh  
Average price 64



Show only my Stack  
 Don't show Quasi-Rent (OR)  
 Don't show Price (P)

TYPE	Installed Capacity	Available Capacity	Capacity Factor	Emission CO2	Profit
Nuclear	0.9	0.9	1.00	304	0
Gas	0.3	0.3	0.25	39	2
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Wind (20%)	0.0	0.0	0.00	0	0
Oil	1.5	1.5	0.12	345	18
<b>TOTAL PROFIT</b>				<b>954</b>	<b>104</b>

The highest profit this round is by Subject no.1 with 954

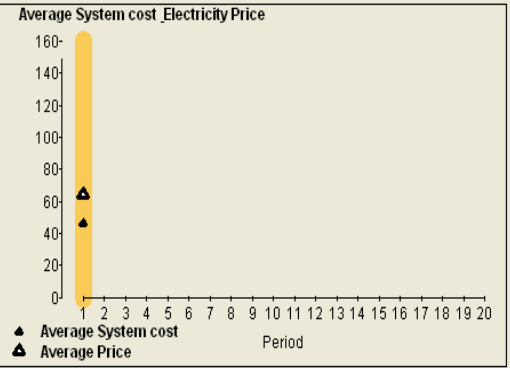
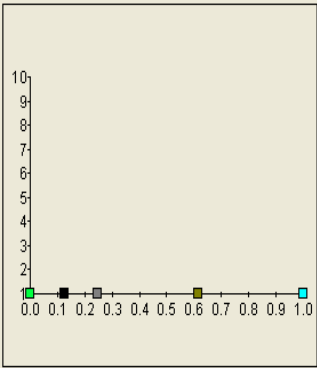
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the most efficient group: Group no.1 with production cost of 46 per GWh

The production cost of your system is 46 per GWh

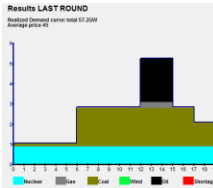
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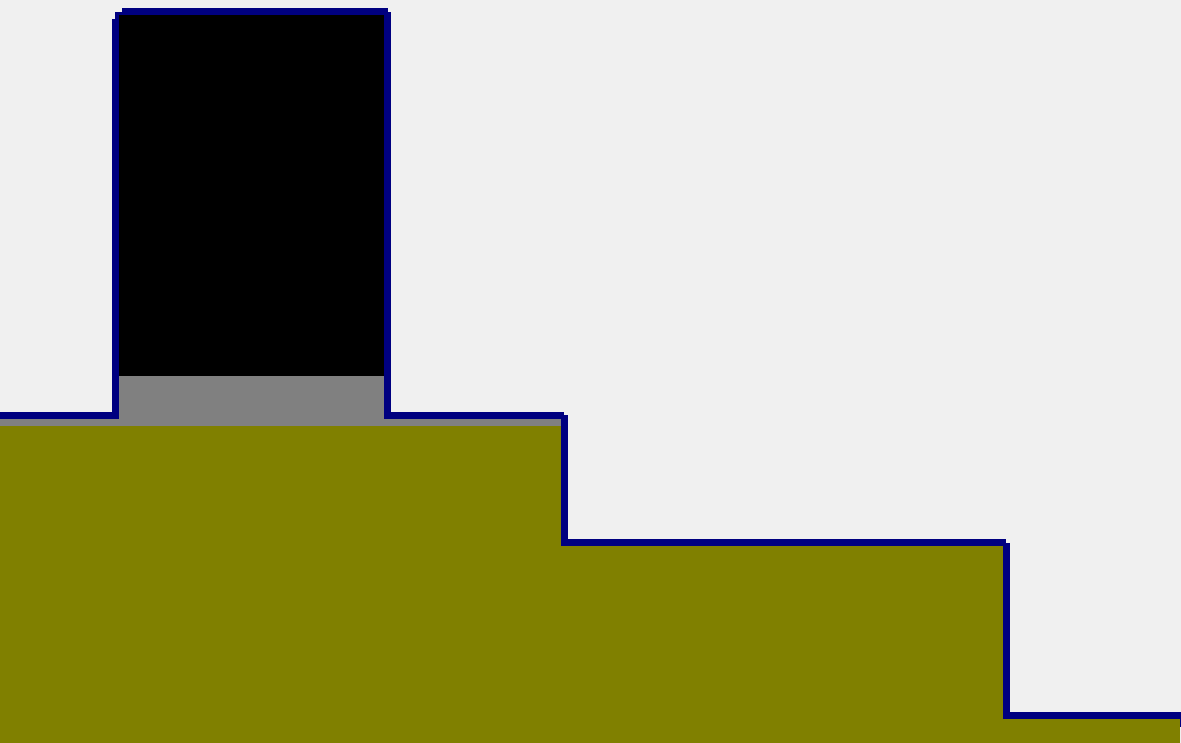
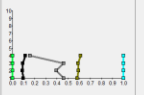
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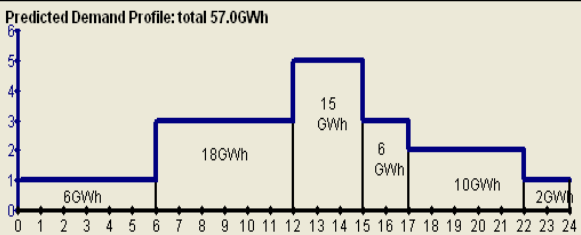


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Price	Don't show	Don't show
Capacity	Don't show	Don't show
Factor	Don't show	Don't show
Profit	Don't show	Don't show
CO2	Don't show	Don't show

Unit	Included	Available	Capacity	Factor	Profit	CO2
Wind	0.0	0.0	100	0	0	0
Biomass	0.0	0.0	20	1	0	0
Coal	1.0	1.0	650	64	0	0
Gas	0.0	0.0	0	0	0	0
Nuclear	1.0	1.0	100	0	0	0
<b>TOTAL PROFIT</b>					<b>100</b>	<b>0</b>



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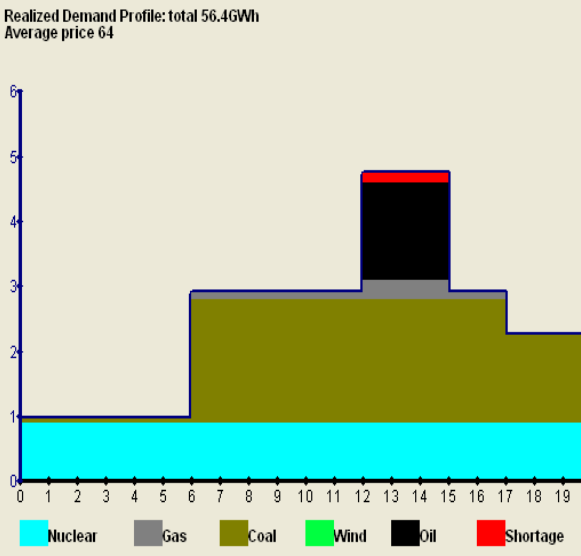


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**Results LAST ROUND**



**Show only my Stack** (Yellow)

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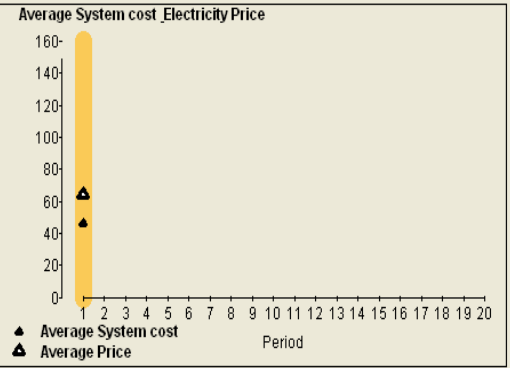
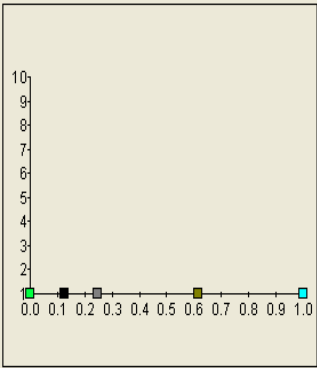
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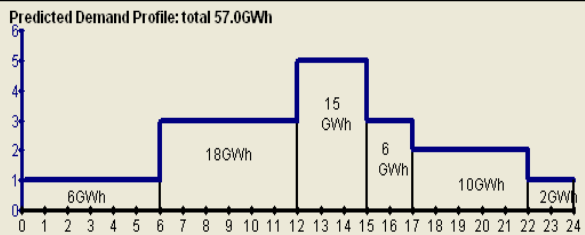
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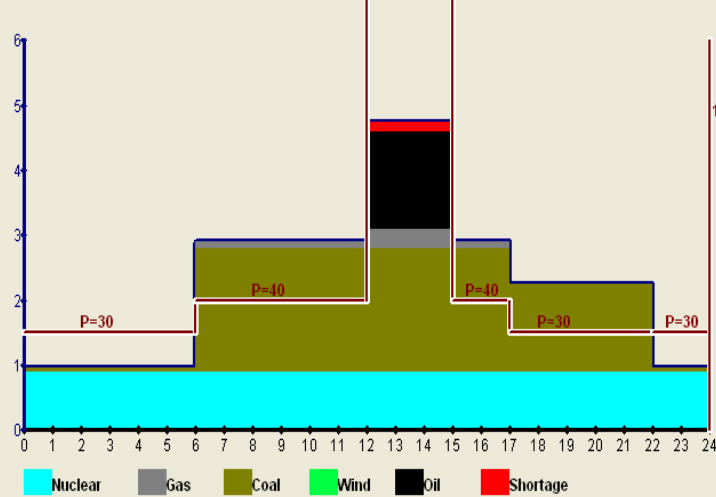
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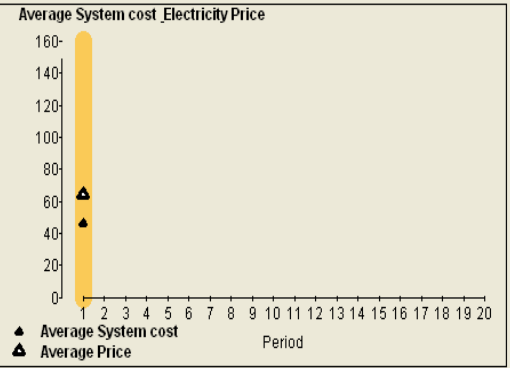
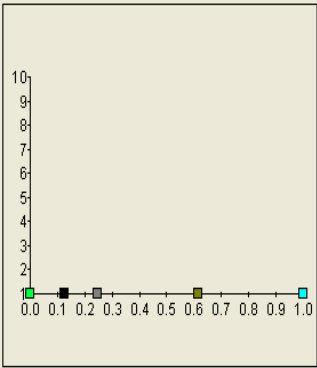
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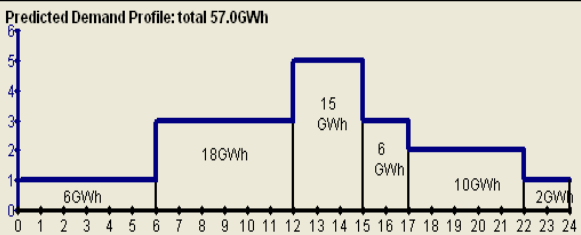
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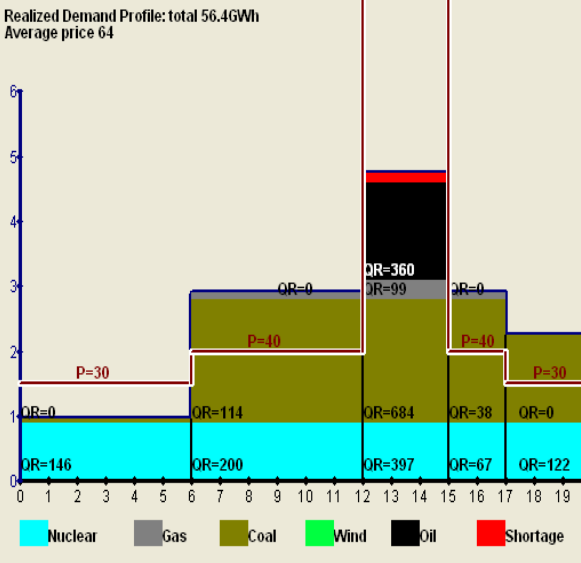
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Coal	1.9	1.9	0.62	266
Wind (20%)	0.0	0.0	0.00	0
Oil	1.5	1.5	0.12	345
<b>TOTAL PROFIT</b>				<b>954</b>

The highest profit this round is by Subject no.1 with 954

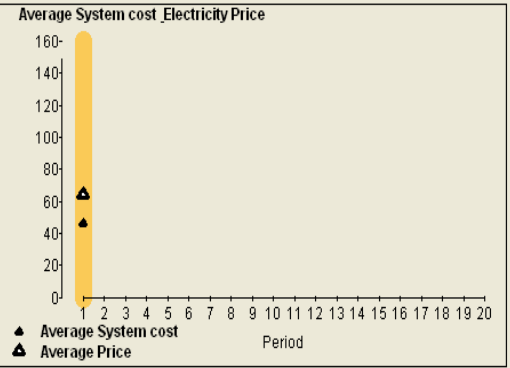
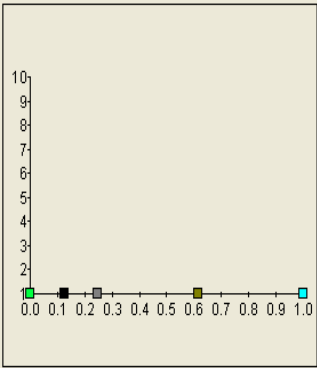
The lowest profit from all groups was 954  
The average profit over all groups was 954

the most efficient group: Group no.1 with production cost of 46 per GWh

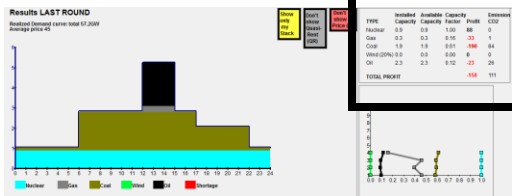
The production cost of your system is 46 per GWh

Your profit is 17 per GWh

The average price in your group is 64 per GWh

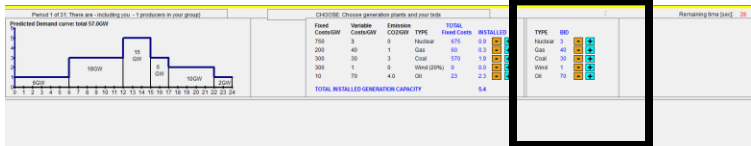


Period	Predicted Demand (GW)	Realized Demand (GW)	Nuclear Installed	Gas Installed	Coal Installed	Wind Installed	Oil Installed	Nuclear Bid	Gas Bid	Coal Bid	Wind Bid	Oil Bid	Nuclear Profit	Gas Profit	Coal Profit	Wind Profit	Oil Profit	Profit	TotalProfit
1	57.0	56.4	0.9	0.3	1.9	0.0	1.5	3	40	30	1	70	304	39	266	0	345	5954	5954



TYPE	Installed Capacity	Available Capacity	Capacity Factor	Profit	Emission CO2
Nuclear	0.9	0.9	1.00	16	0
Gas	0.3	0.3	0.12	-33	1
Coal	1.9	1.9	0.57	-342	79
Wind (20%)	0.0	0.0	0.00	0	0
Oil	2.3	2.3	0.12	-23	28
<b>TOTAL PROFIT</b>				<b>-382</b>	<b>107</b>

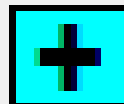




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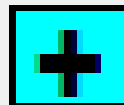
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Gas

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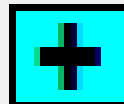
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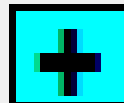
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Oil

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Minimal price you accept

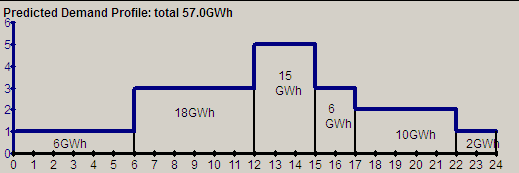
# Monopoly treatment

You are Subject no.2 in Group no. 2 -- Period 2 of 4; There are - including you - 1 producers in your group

CHOOSE: Choose generation plants and your bids

Remaining time [sec]: 88

Predicted Demand Profile: total 57.0GWh

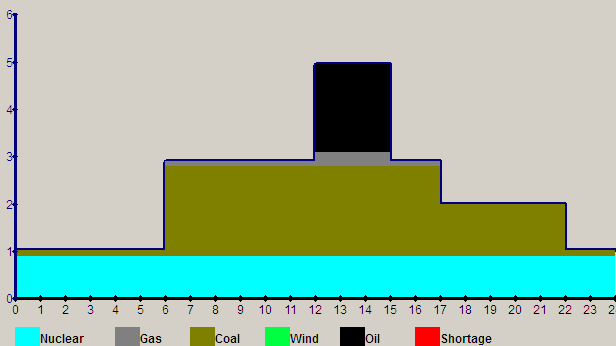


Fixed Costs/GW	Variable Costs/GWh	Emission CO2/GWh	TYPE	TOTAL Fixed Costs	INSTALLED	TYPE	BID
750	3	0	Nuclear	875	0.9	Nuclear	3
200	40	1	Gas	60	0.3	Gas	40
300	30	3	Coal	570	1.9	Coal	30
300	1	0	Wind (20%)	0	0.0	Wind	1
10	70	4.0	Oil	23	2.3	Oil	70

TOTAL INSTALLED GENERATION CAPACITY

Results LAST ROUND

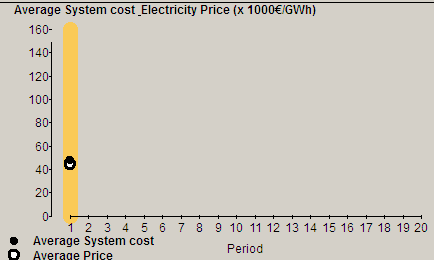
Realized Demand Profile: total 56.1GWh  
Average price 45



TYPE	Installed Capacity	Available Capacity	Capacity Factor	Profit	Emission CO2
Nuclear	0.9	0.9	1.00	88	0
Gas	0.3	0.3	0.23	-33	2
Coal	0.9	1.9	0.60	-190	82
Wind	0.0	0.0	0.00	0	0
Oil	0.3	2.3	0.10	-23	22
<b>TOTAL PROFIT</b>				<b>-158</b>	106

The highest profit this round is by Subject no.1 with -158  
The lowest profit from all groups was -158  
The average profit over all groups was -158

Average System cost\_Electricity Price (x 1000€/GWh)



Legend: ● Average System cost, ○ Average Price

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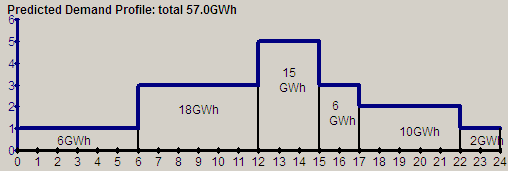
Period	Predicted Demand (GW)	Realized Demand (GW)	Nuclear Installed	Gas Installed	Coal Installed	Wind Installed	Oil Installed	Nuclear Bid	Gas Bid	Coal Bid	Wind Bid	Wind Availability (%)	Oil Bid	Profit	TotalProfit	WINNER	WINNER PROFIT
1	57.0	56.1	0.9	0.3	1.9	0.0	2.3	3	40	30	1	50	70	-158	-158	1	-158

# Monopoly treatment

You are Subject no.1 in Group no. 1 -- Period 2 of 4; There are - including you - 1 producers in your group)

CHOOSE: Choose generation plants and your bids

Remaining time [sec]: 85

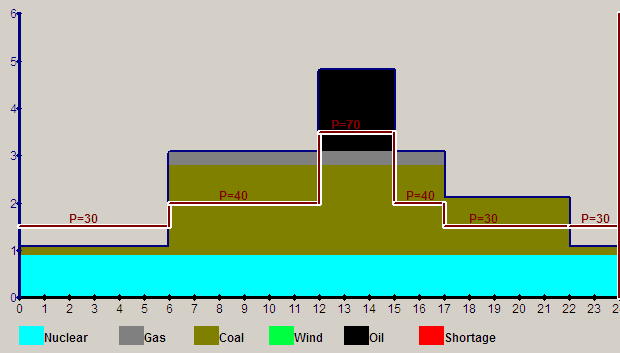


Fixed Costs/GW	Variable Costs/GWh	Emission CO2/GWh	TYPE	TOTAL Fixed Costs	INSTALLED
750	3	0	Nuclear	675	0.9
200	40	1	Gas	60	0.3
300	30	3	Coal	570	1.9
300	1	0	Wind (20%)	0	0.0
10	70	4.0	Oil	23	2.3
<b>TOTAL INSTALLED GENERATION CAPACITY</b>					<b>5.4</b>

TYPE	BID
Nuclear	3
Gas	40
Coal	30
Wind	1
Oil	70

## Results LAST ROUND

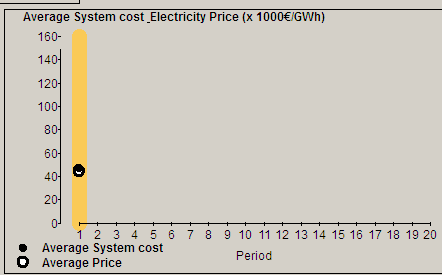
Realized Demand Profile: total 57.9GWh  
Average price 44



Show only my Stack  
 Don't show Quasi-Rent (QR)  
 Show Price (P)

TYPE	Installed Capacity	Available Capacity	Capacity Factor	Profit	Emission CO2
Nuclear	0.9	0.9	1.00	88	0
Gas	0.3	0.3	0.42	-33	3
Coal	1.9	1.9	0.62	-190	85
Wind (20%)	0.0	0.0	0.00	0	0
Oil	2.3	2.3	0.09	-23	20
<b>TOTAL PROFIT</b>				<b>-158</b>	108

The highest profit this round is by Subject no.1 with -158  
The lowest profit from all groups was -158  
The average profit over all groups was -158



Period	Predicted Demand (GW)	Realized Demand (GW)	Nuclear Installed	Gas Installed	Coal Installed	Wind Installed	Oil Installed	Nuclear Bid	Gas Bid	Coal Bid	Wind Bid	Wind Availability (%)	Oil Bid	Profit	TotalProfit	WINNER	WINNER PROFIT
1	57.0	57.9	0.9	0.3	1.9	0.0	2.3	3	40	30	1	60	70	-158	-158	1	-158

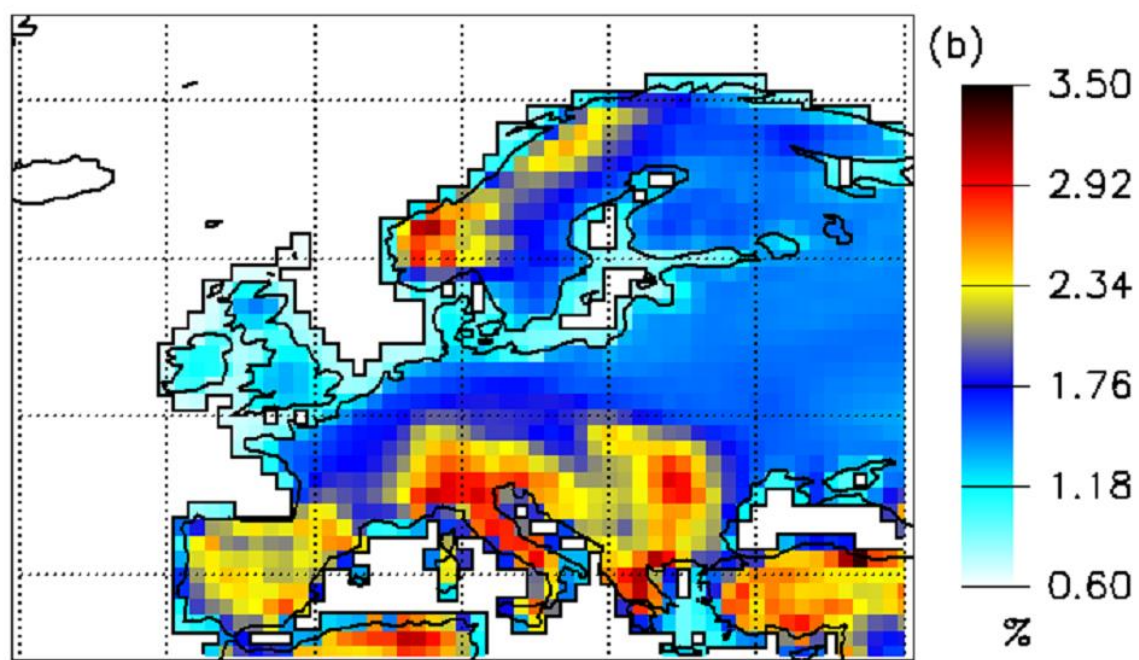
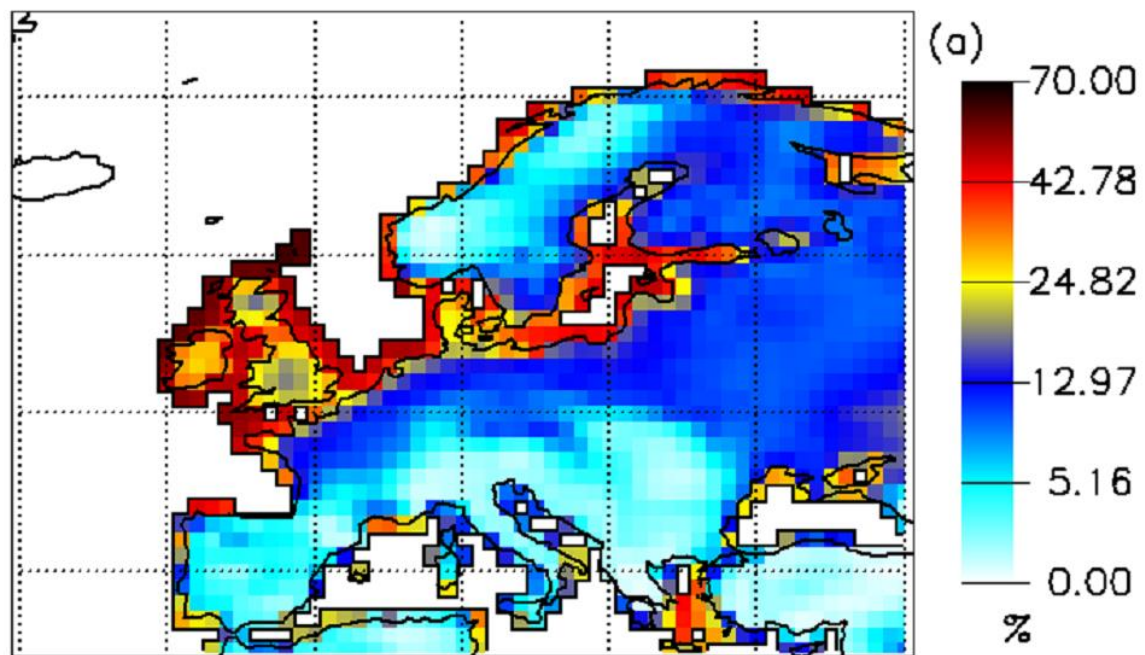
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# Monopoly treatment

players in your group?

CHOOSE: Choose generation plants and your bids

Fixed Costs/GW	Variable Costs/GWh	Emission CO2/GWh	TYPE	TOTAL Fixed Costs	INSTALLED			TYPE	BID
750	3	0	Nuclear	675	0.9	-	+	Nuclear	3
200	40	1	Gas	60	0.3	-	+	Gas	40
300	30	3	Coal	570	1.9	-	+	Coal	30
300	1	0	Wind (20%)		0.0	-	+	Wind	1
70	70	4.0	Oil	23	2.3	-	+	Oil	70
<b>TOTAL INSTALLED GENERATION CAPACITY</b>					<b>5.4</b>				



# Monopoly- Subsidy treatment

ducers in your group)

CHOOSE: Choose generation plants and your bids

Fixed Costs/GW	Variable Costs/GWh	Emission CO2/GWh	TYPE	TOTAL Fixed Costs	INSTALLED			TYPE	BID
750	3	0	Nuclear	675	0.9	-	+	Nuclear	3
200	40	1	Gas	60	0.3	-	+	Gas	40
300	30	3	Coal	570	1.9	-	+	Coal	30
10	1	0	Wind (20%)	0	0.0	-	+	Wind	1
10	70	4.0	Oil	23	2.3	-	+	Oil	70
<b>TOTAL INSTALLED GENERATION CAPACITY</b>					<b>5.4</b>				

ducers in your group)

CHOOSE: Choose generation plants and your bids

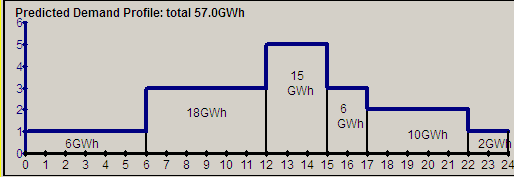
Fixed Costs/GW	Variable Costs/GWh	Emission CO2/GWh	TYPE	TOTAL Fixed Costs	INSTALLED			TYPE	BID
750	3	0	Nuclear	675	0.9	-	+	Nuclear	3
200	40	1	Gas	60	0.3	-	+	Gas	40
300	30	3	Coal	570	1.9	-	+	Coal	30
300	1	0	Wind (20%)	0	0.0	-	+	Wind	1
10	70	4.0	Oil	23	2.3	-	+	Oil	70
<b>TOTAL INSTALLED GENERATION CAPACITY</b>					<b>5.4</b>				

# Duopoly treatment

You are Subject no.2 in Group no. 2 -- Period 1 of 4; There are - including you - 1 producers in your group

CHOOSE: Choose generation plants and your bids

Remaining time [sec]: 87



Fixed Costs/GW	Variable Costs/GWh	Emission CO2/GWh	TYPE	TOTAL Fixed Costs	INSTALLED
750	3	0	Nuclear	675	0.9
200	40	1	Gas	60	0.3
300	30	3	Coal	570	1.9
300	1	0	Wind (20%)	0	0.0
10	70	4.0	Oil	23	2.3
<b>TOTAL INSTALLED GENERATION CAPACITY</b>					<b>5.4</b>

TYPE	BID
Nuclear	3
Gas	40
Coal	30
Wind	1
Oil	70

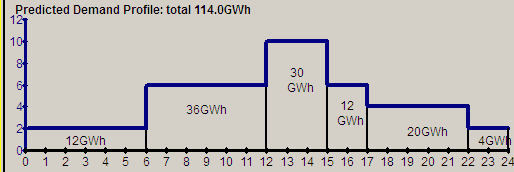
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# Duopoly treatment

You are Subject no.2 in Group no. 1 -- Period 2 of 4; There are - including you - 2 producers in your group)

CHOOSE: Choose generation plants and your bids

Remaining time [sec]: 87



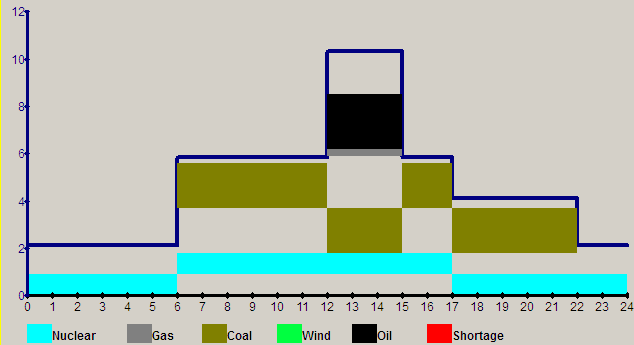
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750	3	0	Nuclear	675	0.9
200	40	1	Gas	60	0.3
300	30	3	Coal	570	1.9
300	1	0	Wind (20%)	0	0.0
10	70	4.0	Oil	23	2.3

TYPE	BID
Nuclear	3
Gas	40
Coal	30
Wind	1
Oil	70

TOTAL INSTALLED GENERATION CAPACITY 5.4

## Results LAST ROUND

Realized Demand Profile: total 115.3GWh  
Average price 45



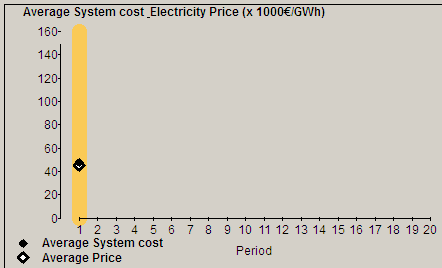
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Don't show Quasi-Rent (QR)

Don't show Price (P)

TYPE	Installed Capacity	Available Capacity	Capacity Factor	Profit	Emission CO2
Nuclear	0.9	0.9	1.00	88	0
Gas	0.3	0.3	0.12	-33	1
Coal	1.9	1.9	0.67	-190	91
Wind (20%)	0.0	0.0	0.00	0	0
Oil	2.3	2.3	0.12	-23	28
<b>TOTAL PROFIT</b>				<b>-158</b>	<b>120</b>

The highest profit this round is by Subject no.1 with -158  
The lowest profit from all groups was -158  
The average profit over all groups was -158



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Period	Predicted Demand (GW)	Realized Demand (GW)	Nuclear Installed	Gas Installed	Coal Installed	Wind Installed	Oil Installed	Nuclear Bid	Gas Bid	Coal Bid	Wind Bid	Wind Availability (%)	Oil Bid	Profit	TotalProfit	WINNER	WINNER PROFIT
1	114.0	115.3	0.9	0.3	1.9	0.0	2.3	3	40	30	1	20	70	-158	-158	1	-158



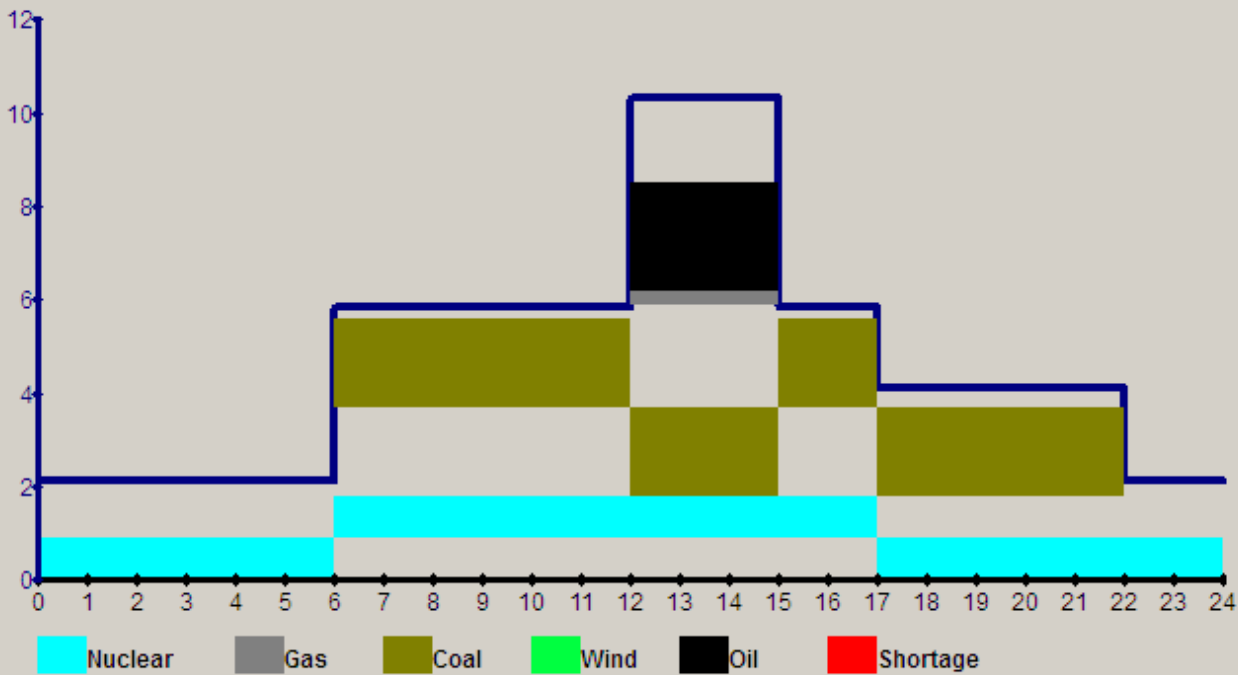
# Duopoly treatment

Control panel with three buttons:

- Show only my Stack (Yellow button)
- Don't show quasi-ent (Grey button)
- Don't show Price (P) (Red button)

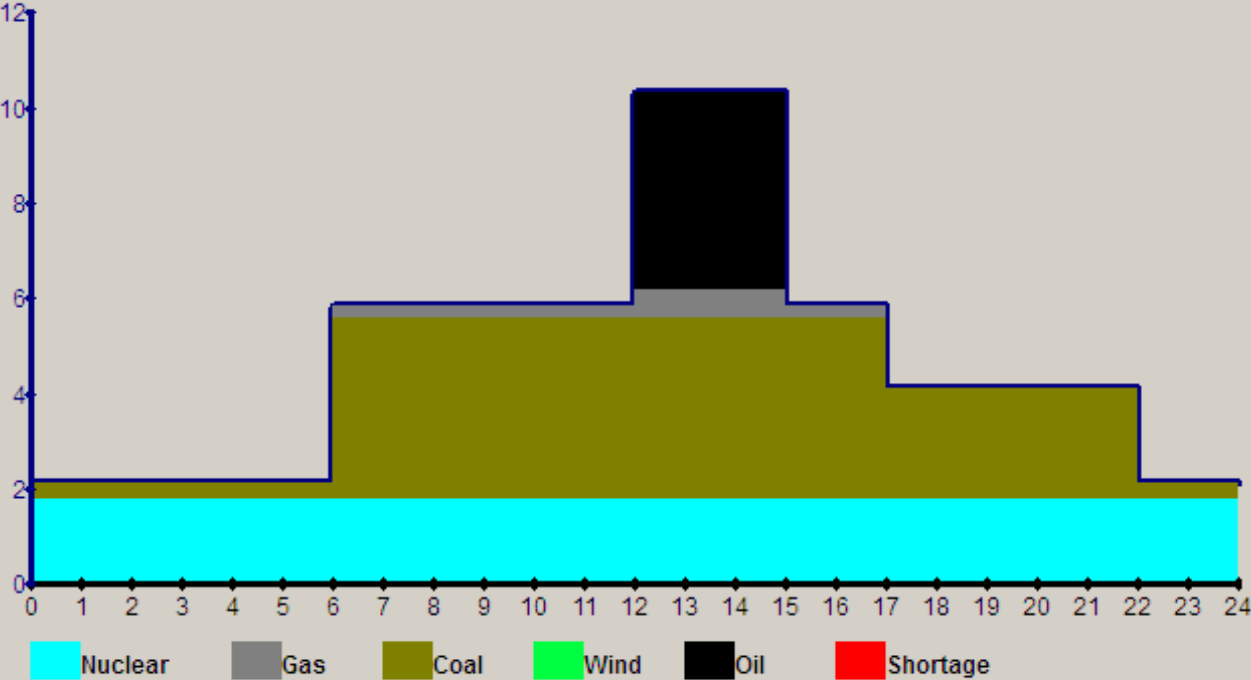
## Results LAST ROUND

Realized Demand Profile: total 115.3GWh  
Average price 45



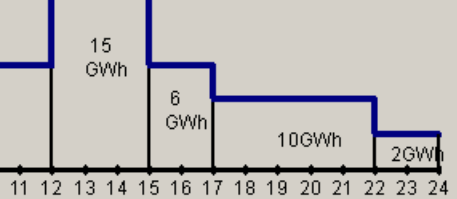
# Results PRESENT ROUND

Realized Demand Profile: total 115.3GWh



Control panel for data visibility:

- Show Full Stack (Yellow button)
- Don't show Quasi-Rent (QR) (Grey button)
- Don't show Price (P) (Red button)



Capacity	Available	Factor	Profit	CO2			
750	3	0	Nuclear	675	0.9	-	+
200	40	1	Gas	80	0.4	-	+
300	30	3	Coal	510	1.7	-	+
300	1	0	Wind (20%)	0	0.0	-	+
10	70	4.0	Oil	21	2.1	-	+

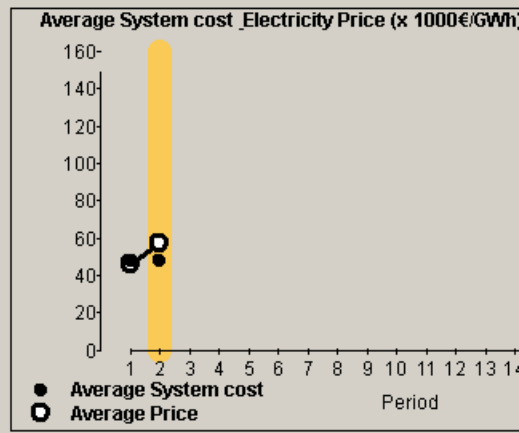
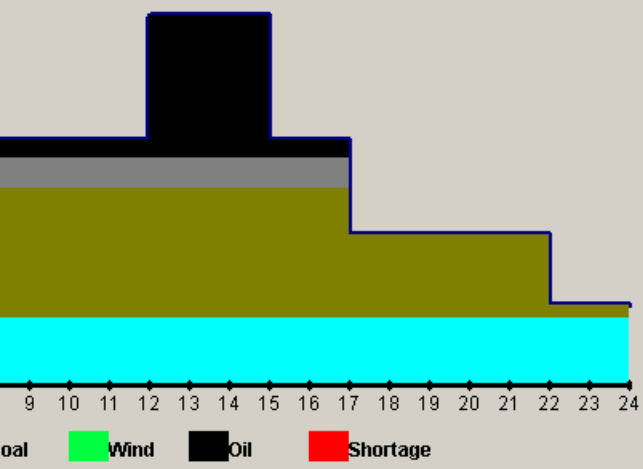
Capacity	Available	Factor	Profit	CO2
3	3	1.00	304	0
40	40	0.46	52	4
30	30	0.62	238	76
1	1	0.00	0	0
70	70	0.15	-21	30

TOTAL INSTALLED GENERATION CAPACITY 5.1

Show only my Stack  
 Don't show Quasi-Rent (QR)  
 Don't show Price (P)

TYPE	Installed Capacity	Available Capacity	Capacity Factor	Profit	Emission CO2
Nuclear	0.9	0.9	1.00	304	0
Gas	0.4	0.4	0.46	52	4
Coal	1.7	1.7	0.62	238	76
Wind (20%)	0.0	0.0	0.00	0	0
Oil	2.1	2.1	0.15	-21	30
<b>TOTAL PROFIT</b>				<b>573</b>	<b>111</b>

The highest profit this round is by Subject no.1 with 1424  
 The lowest profit from all groups was 573  
 The average profit over all groups was 999



Period	Nuclear Installed	Gas Installed	Coal Installed	Wind Installed	Oil Installed	Nuclear Bid	Gas Bid	Coal Bid	Wind Bid	Wind Availability (%)	Oil Bid	Profit	Total Profit
1	0.9	0.3	1.9	0.0	2.3	3	40	30	1	30	70	-62	-62
2	0.9	0.4	1.7	0.0	2.1	3	40	30	1	30	70	573	573

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CHOOSE: Choose generation plants and your bids

Fixed Costs/GW	Variable Costs/GWh	Emission CO2/GWh	TYPE	TOTAL Fixed Costs	INSTALLED		
750	3	0	Nuclear	675	0.9	-	+
200	40	1	Gas	60	0.3	-	+
300	30	3	Coal	570	1.9	-	+
10	1	0	Wind (20%)	0	0.0	-	+
10	70	4.0	Oil	23	2.3	-	+
<b>TOTAL INSTALLED GENERATION CAPACITY</b>					<b>5.4</b>		

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TYPE	Installed Capacity	Available Capacity
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Power (Capacity)

Energy

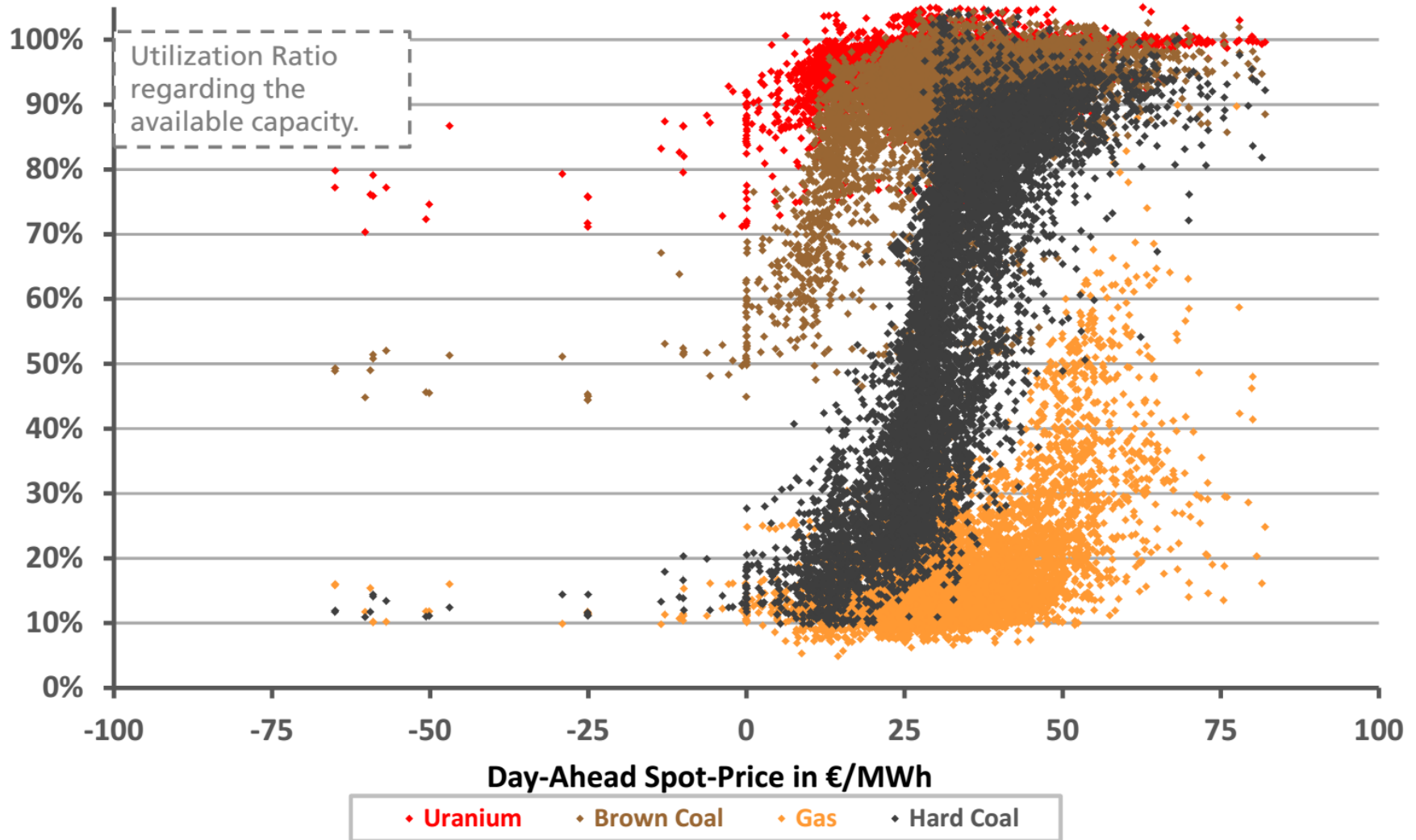
For finding the cheapest technique it is useful to know the average cost...

# Fixed versus variable cost

# Plant System Utilization over Day-Ahead Prices

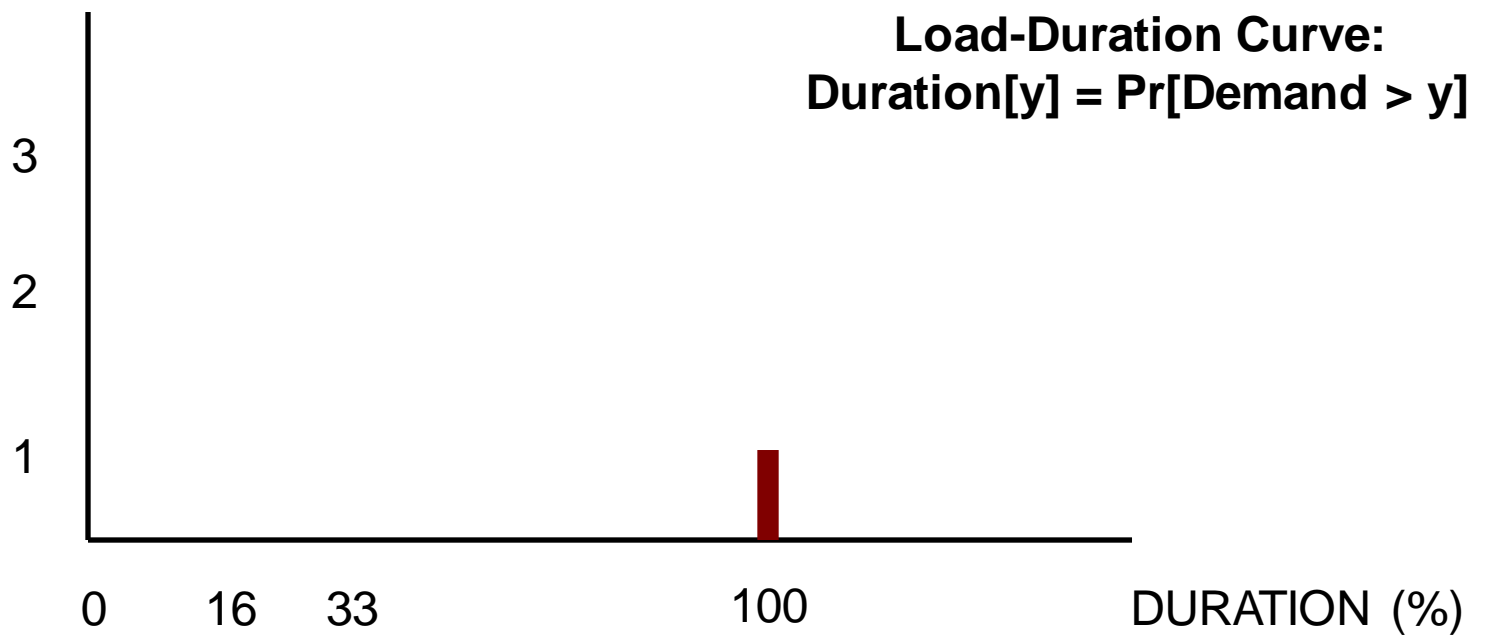


Utilization Ratio depending on Day-Ahead Spot-Prices (Update: Nov 2014)

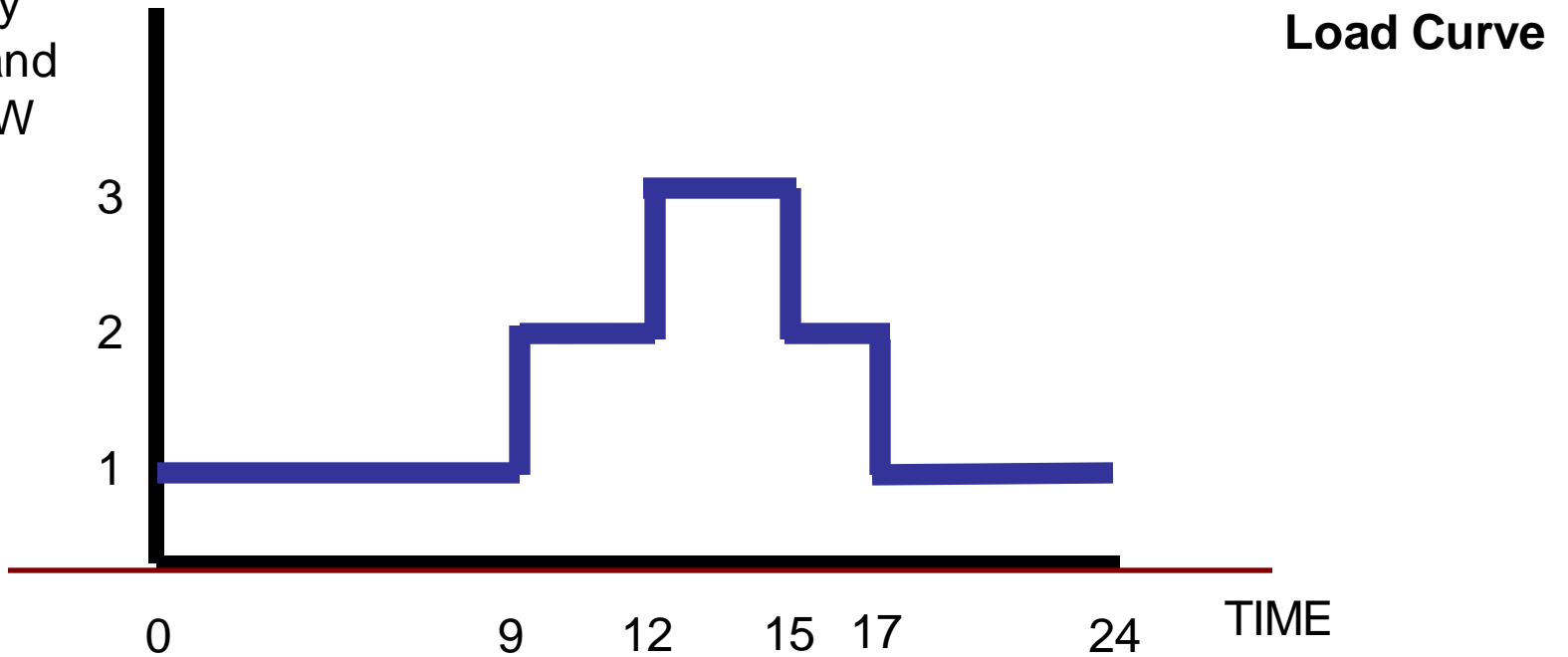


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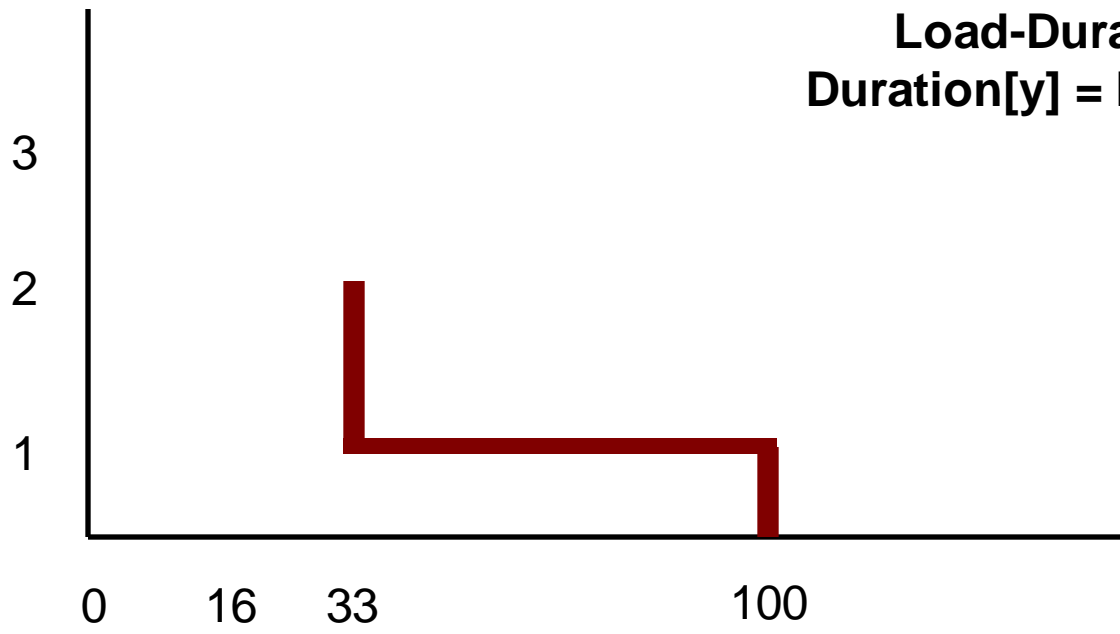
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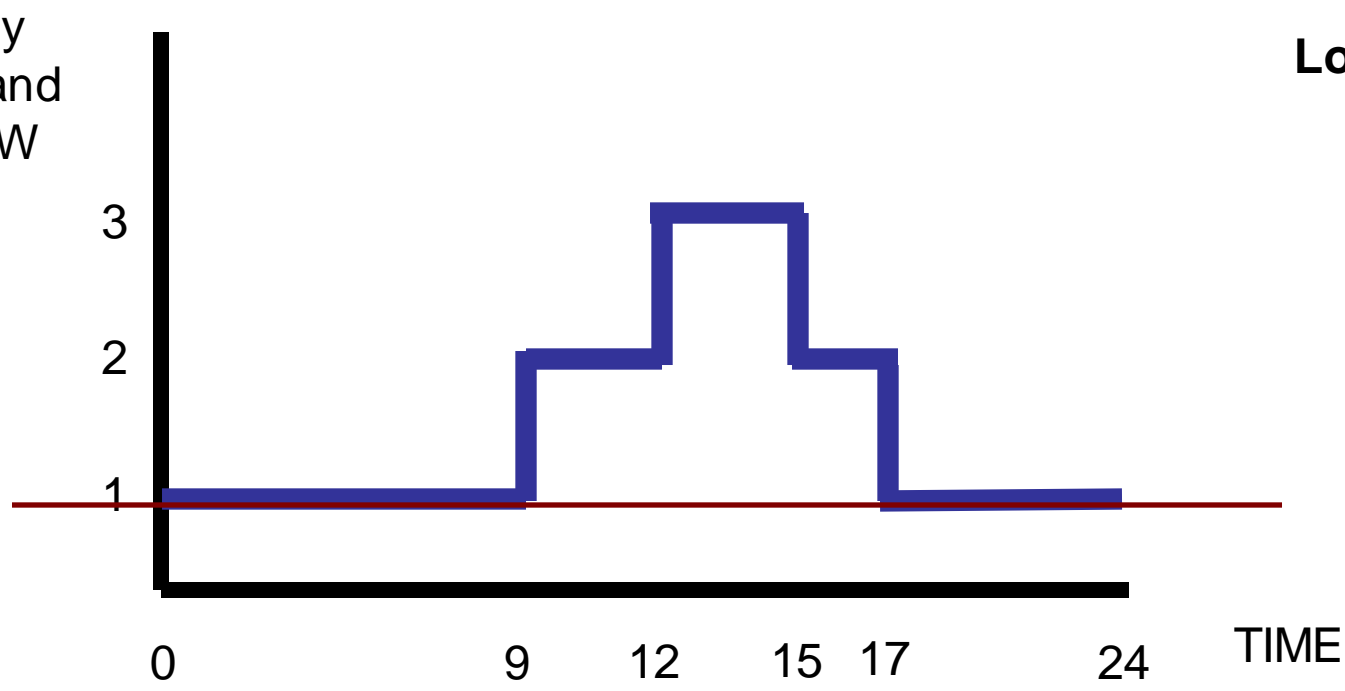
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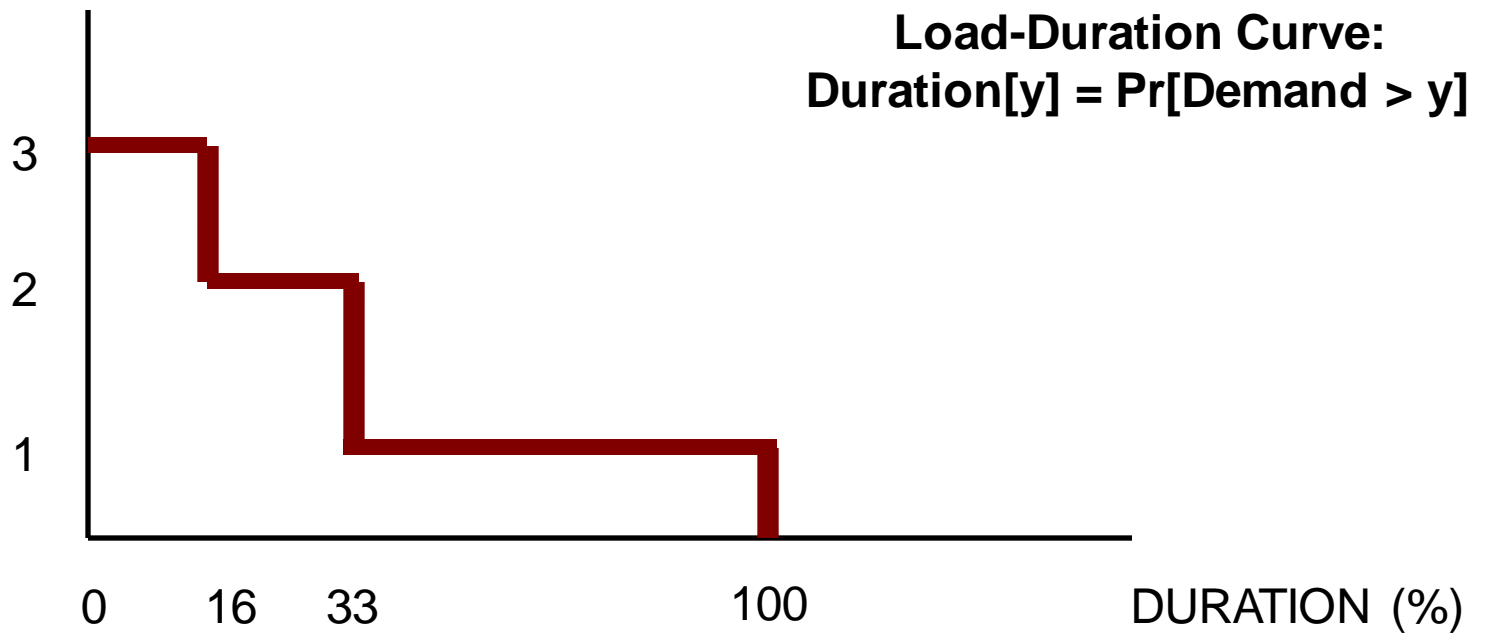


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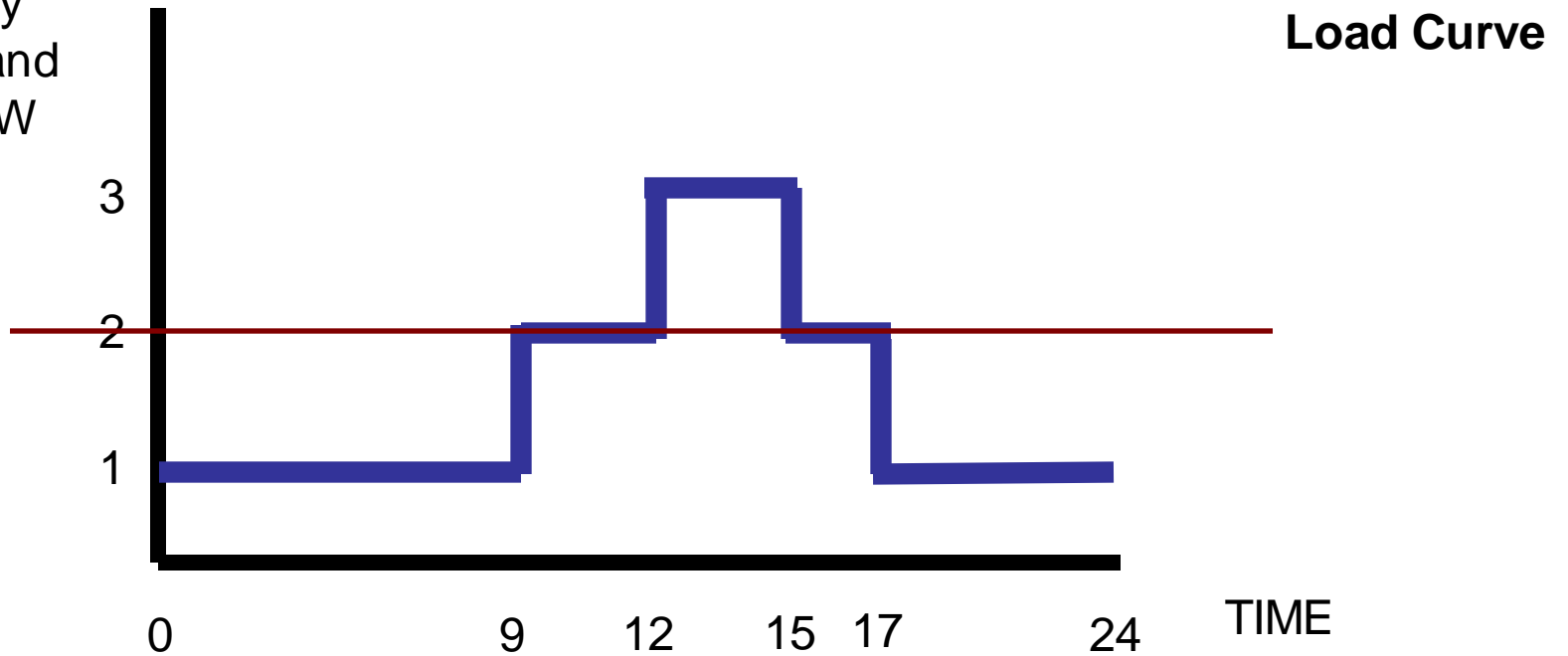




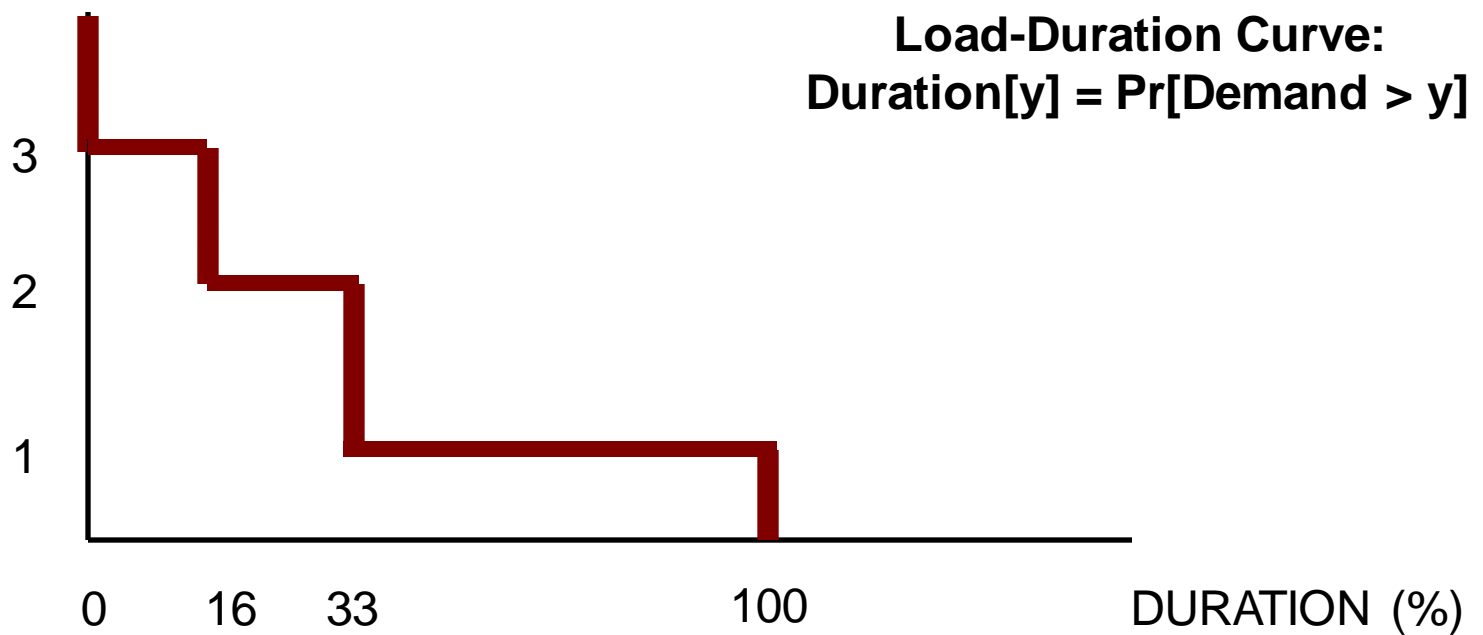
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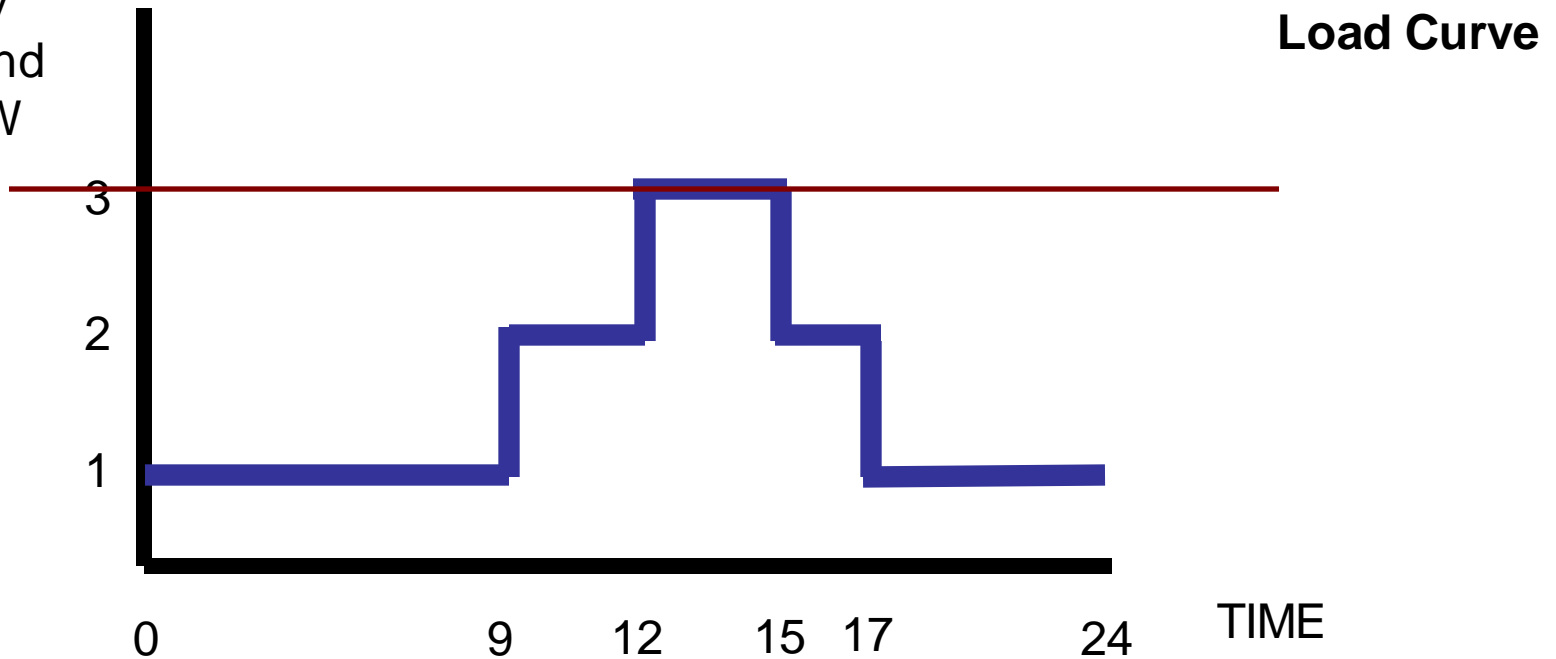
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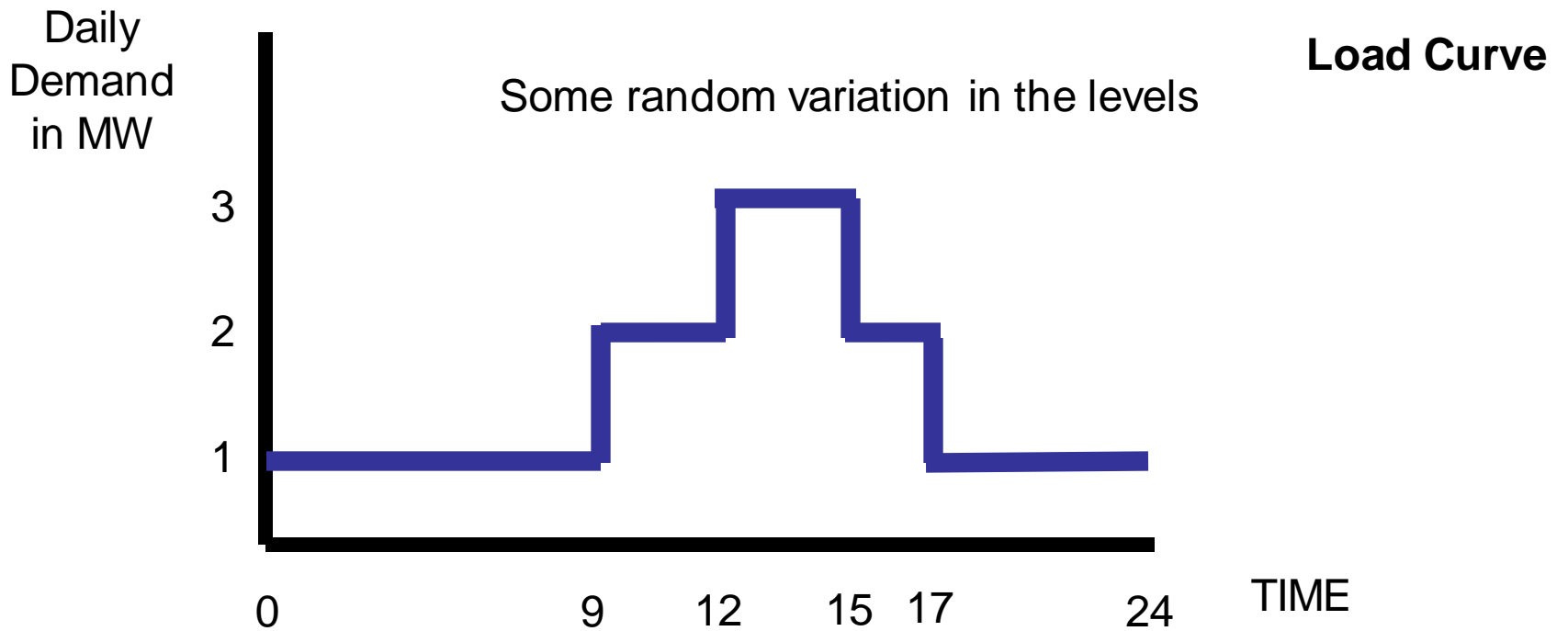
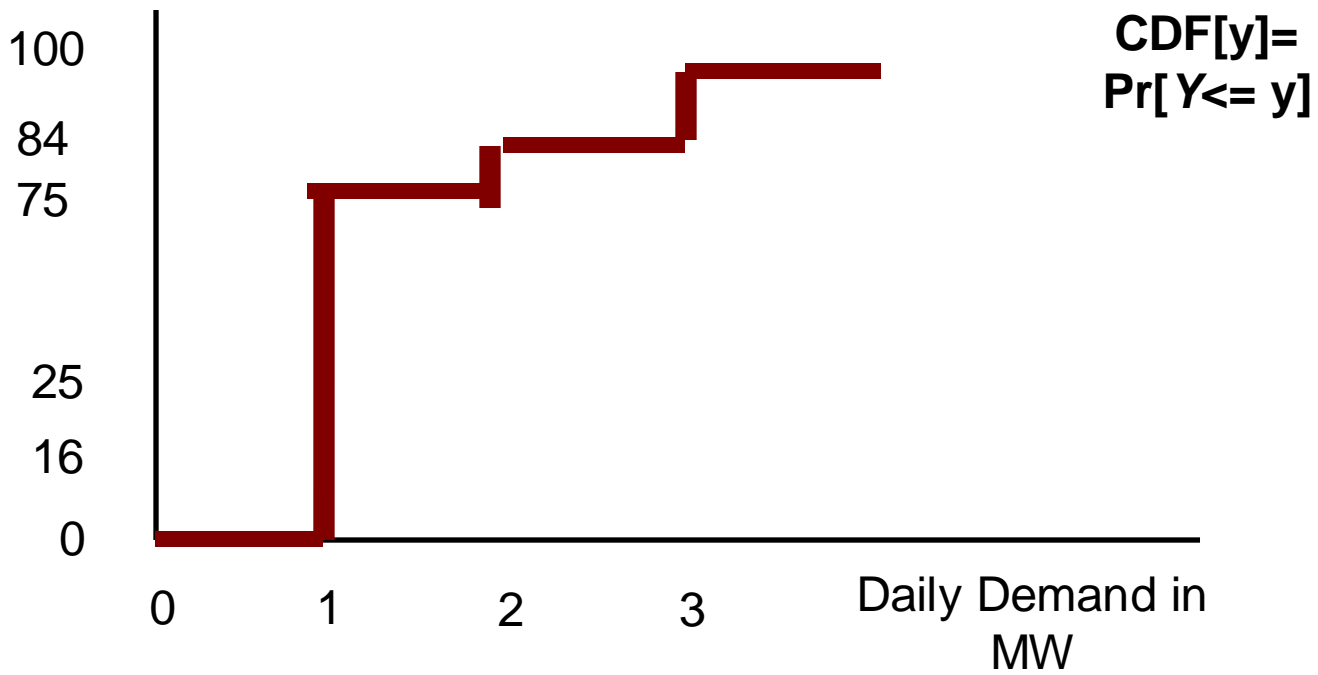
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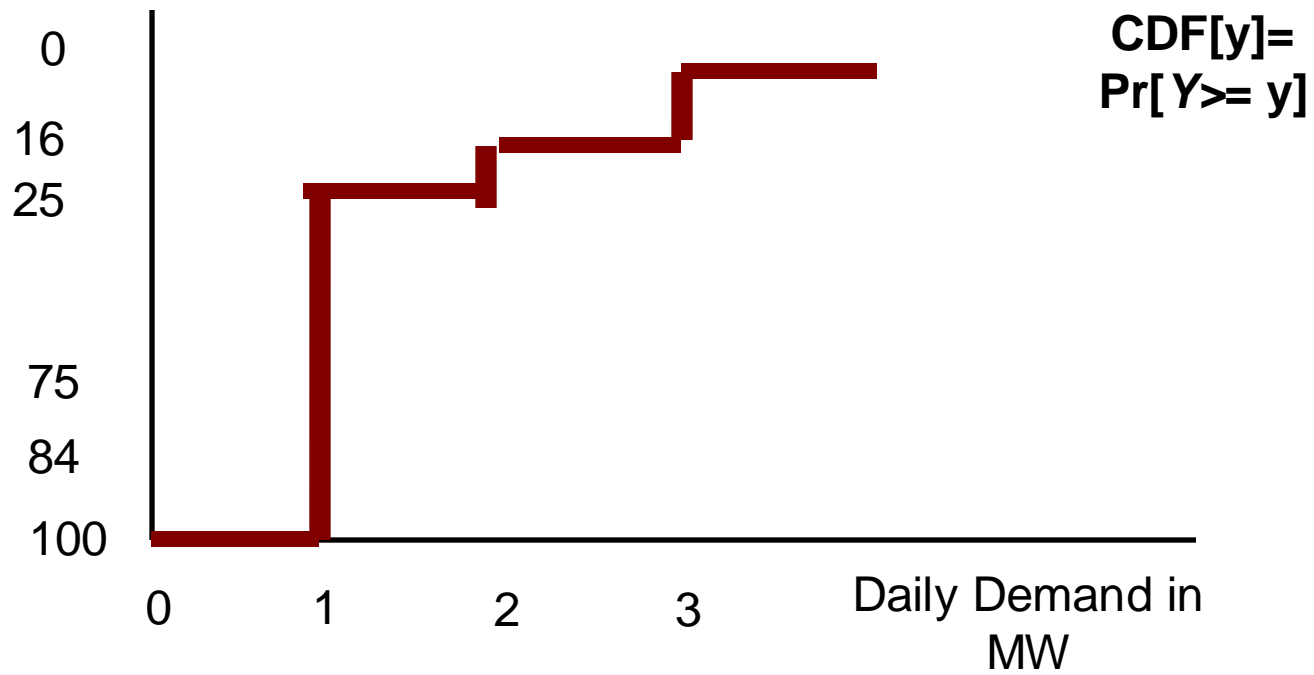


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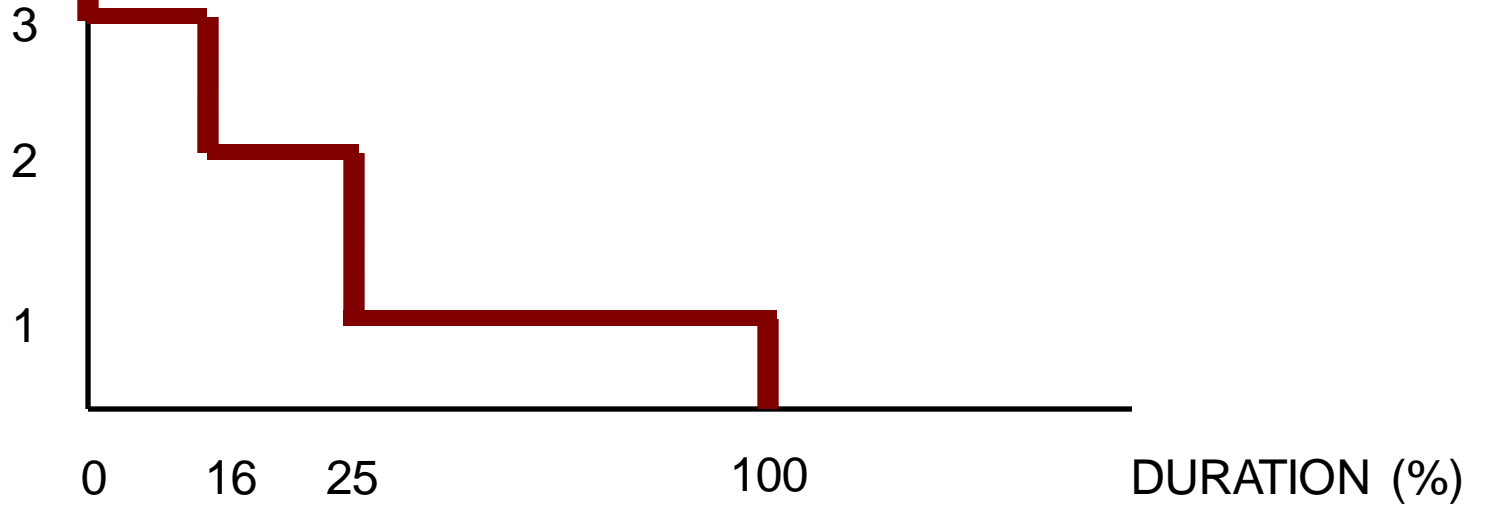
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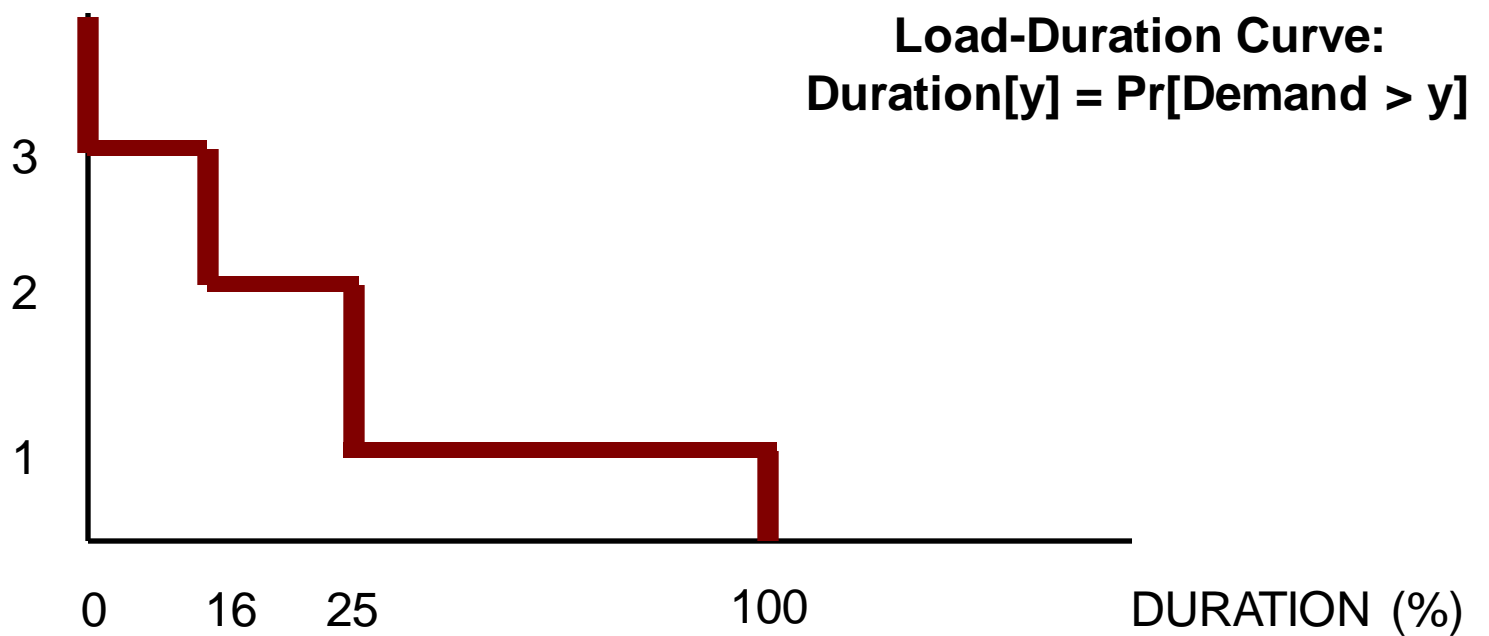


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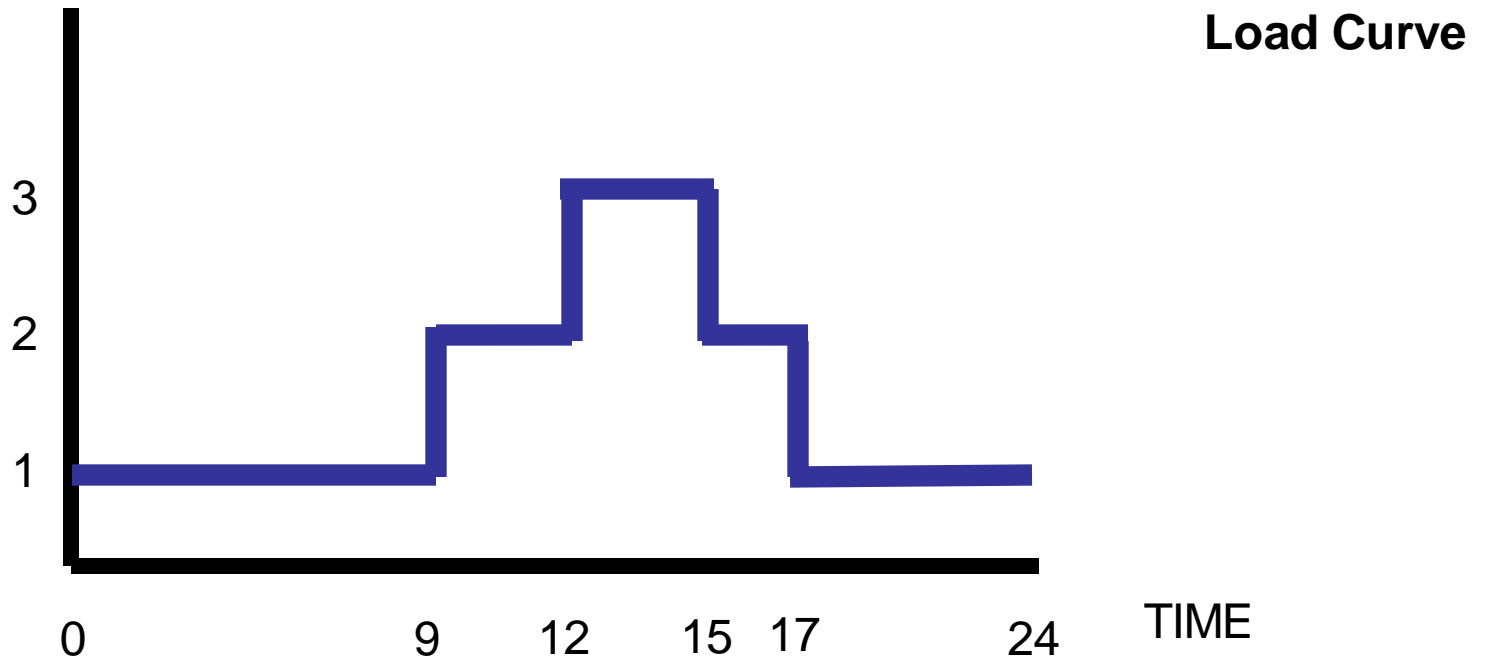
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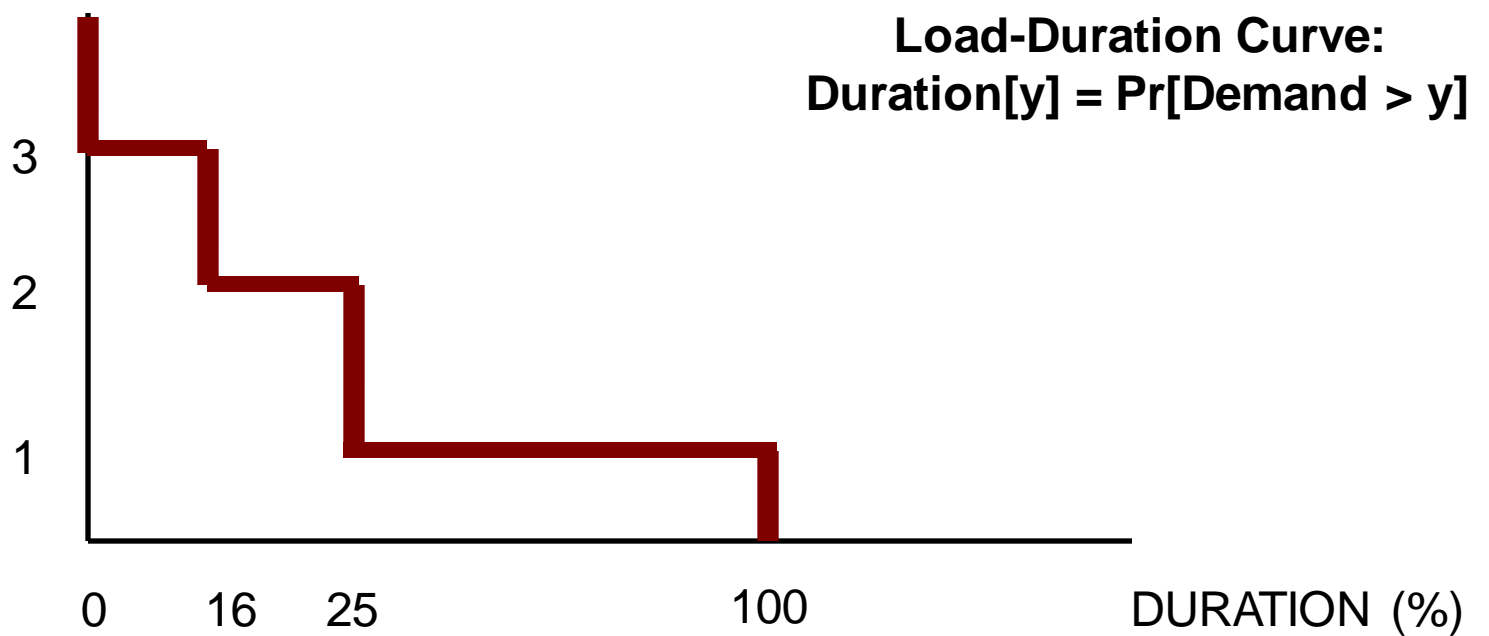
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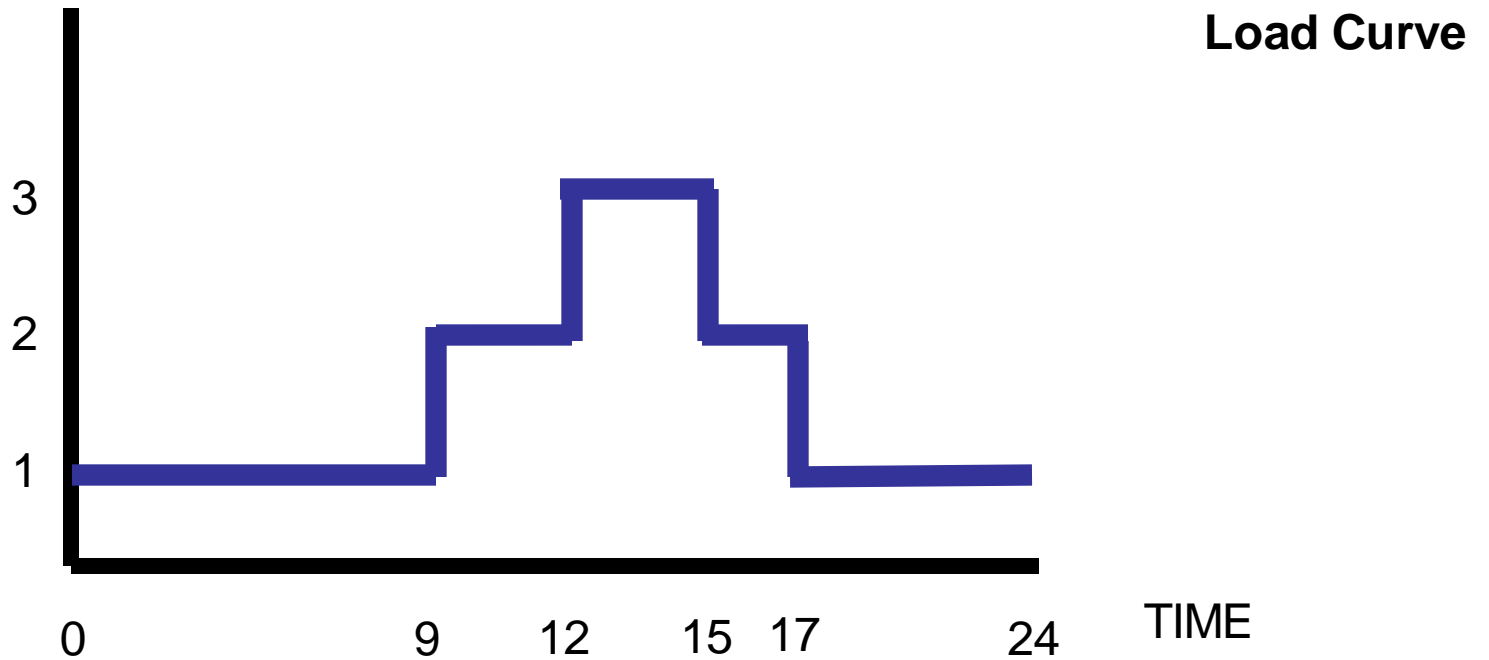
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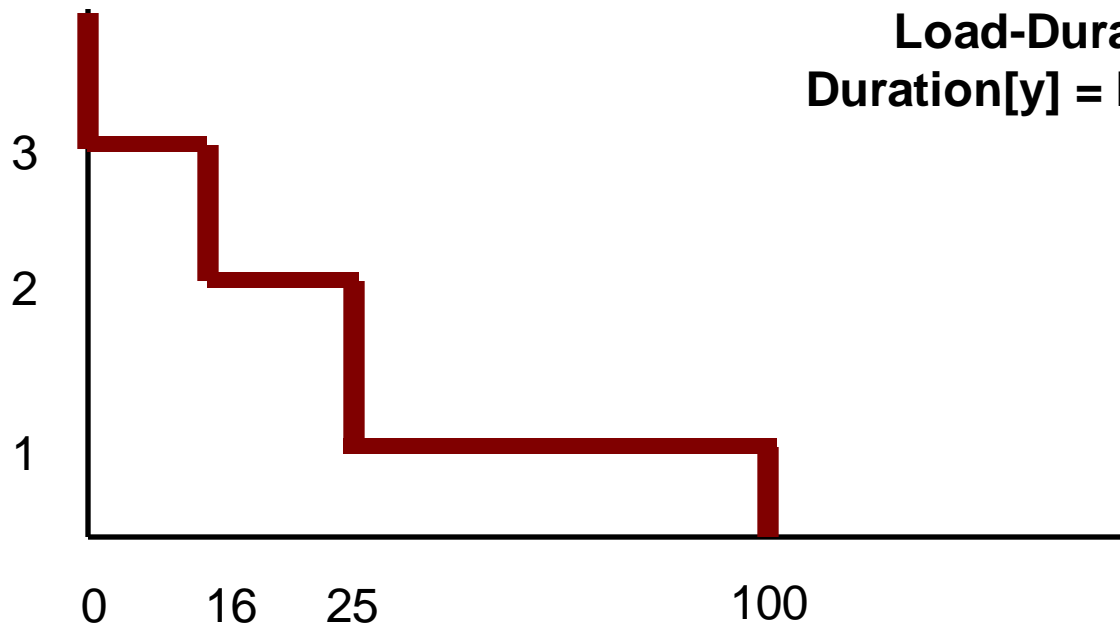


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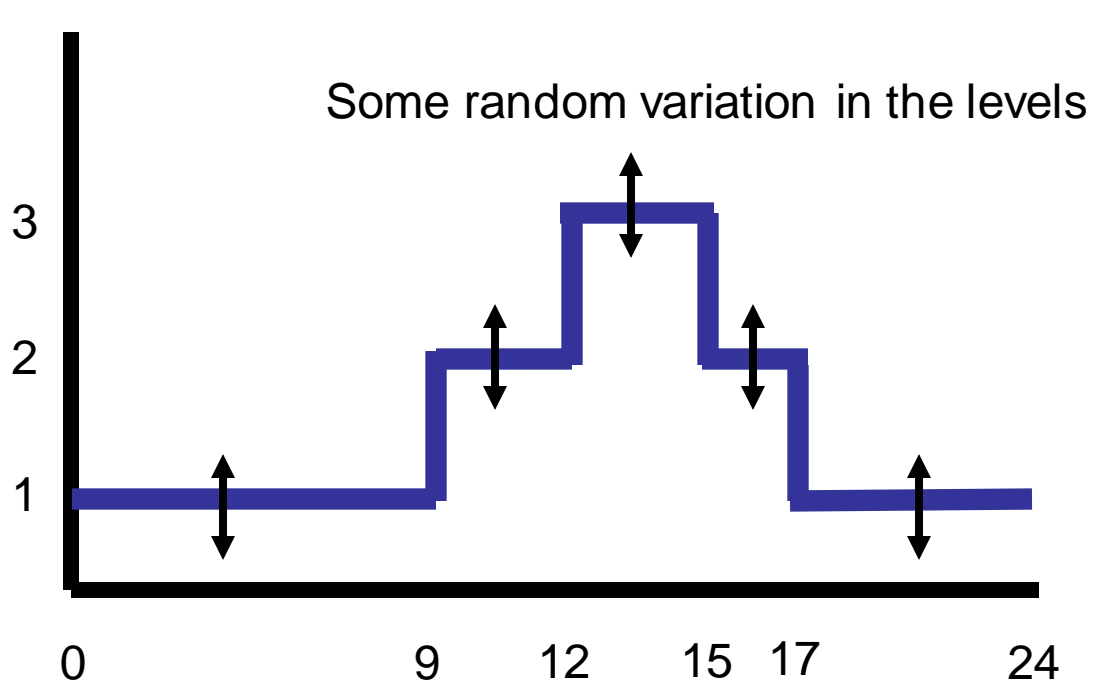


Daily Demand in MW



Load-Duration Curve:  
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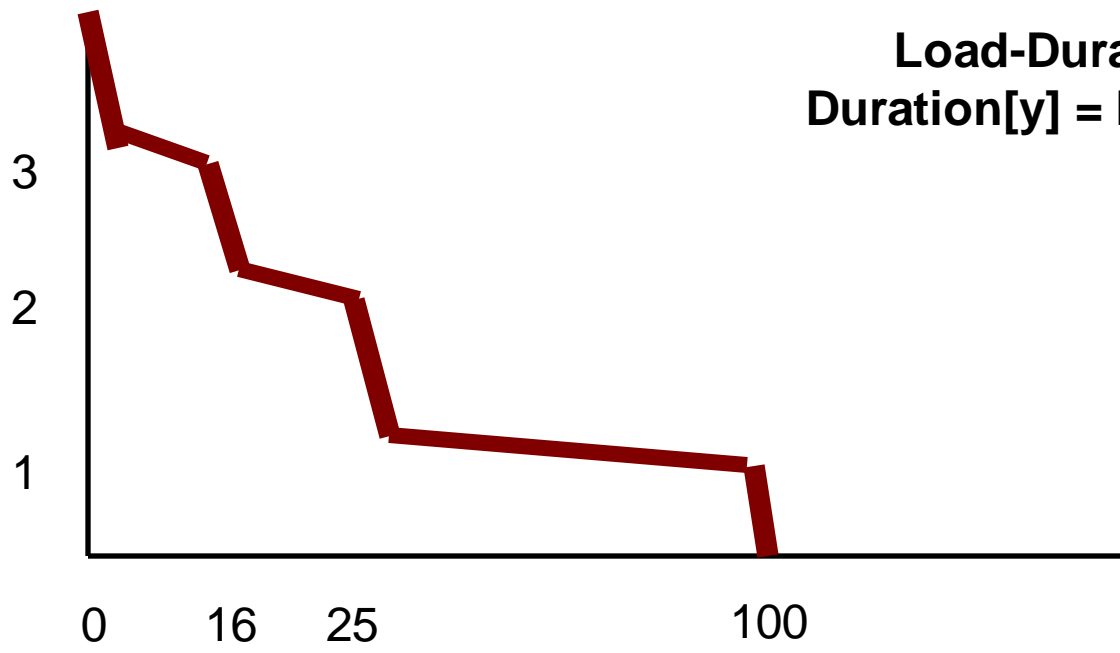
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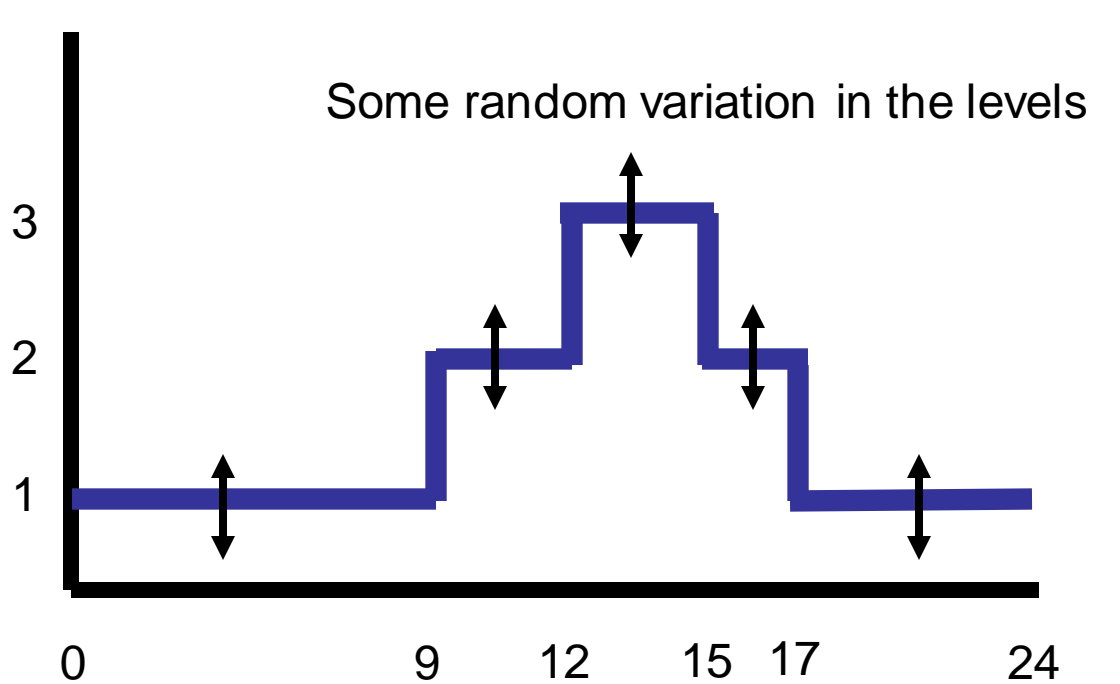
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Some random variation in the levels

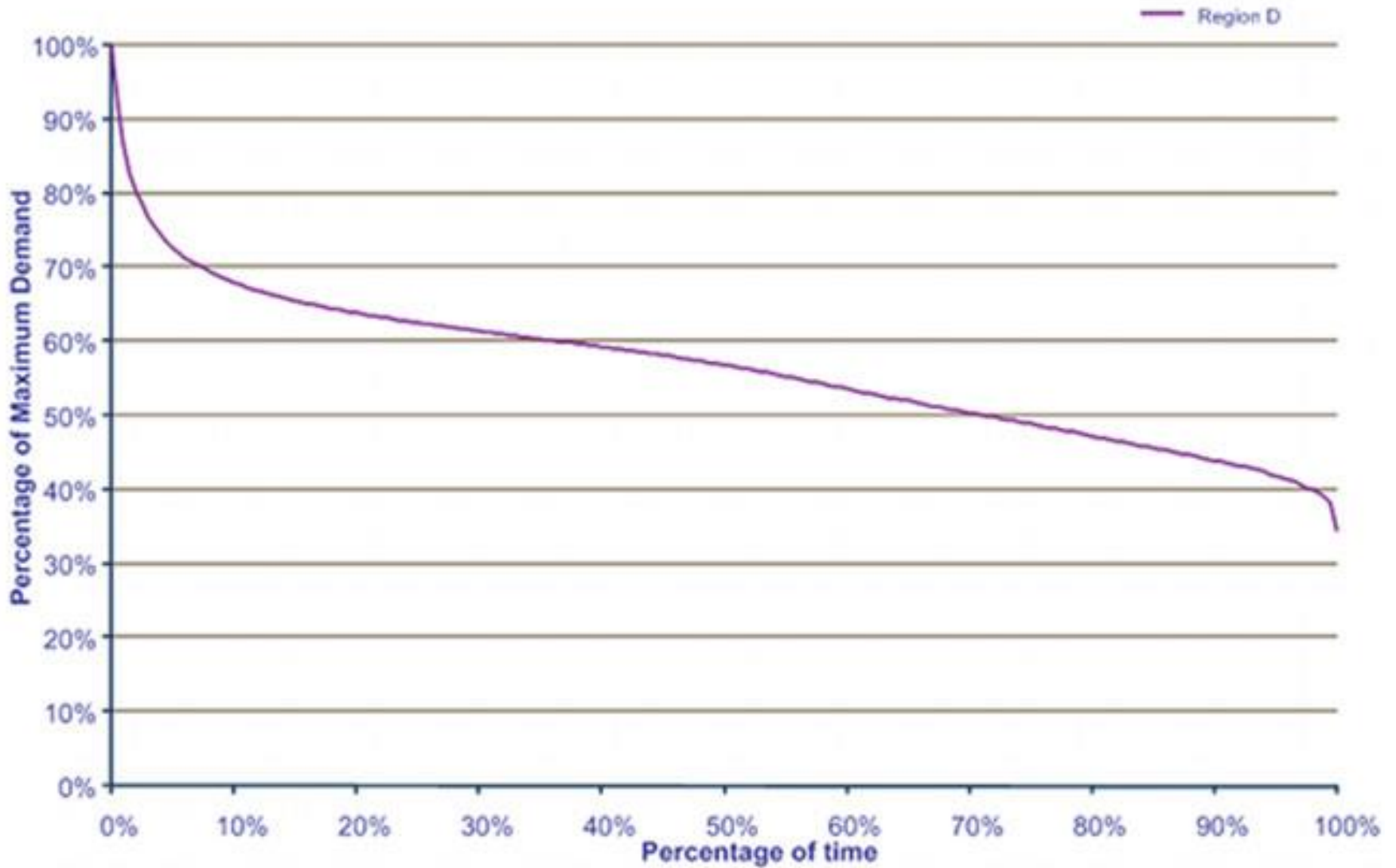
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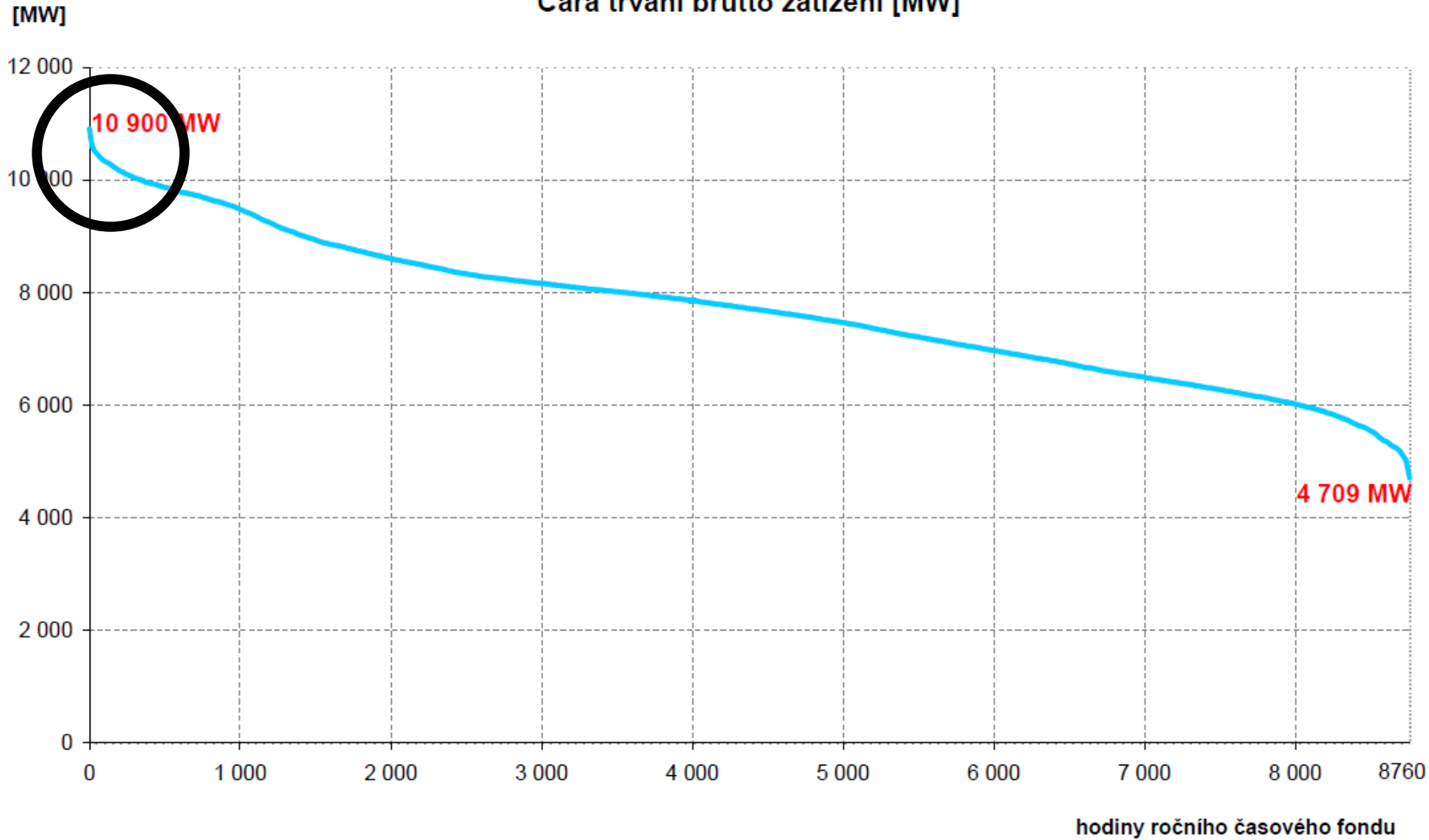
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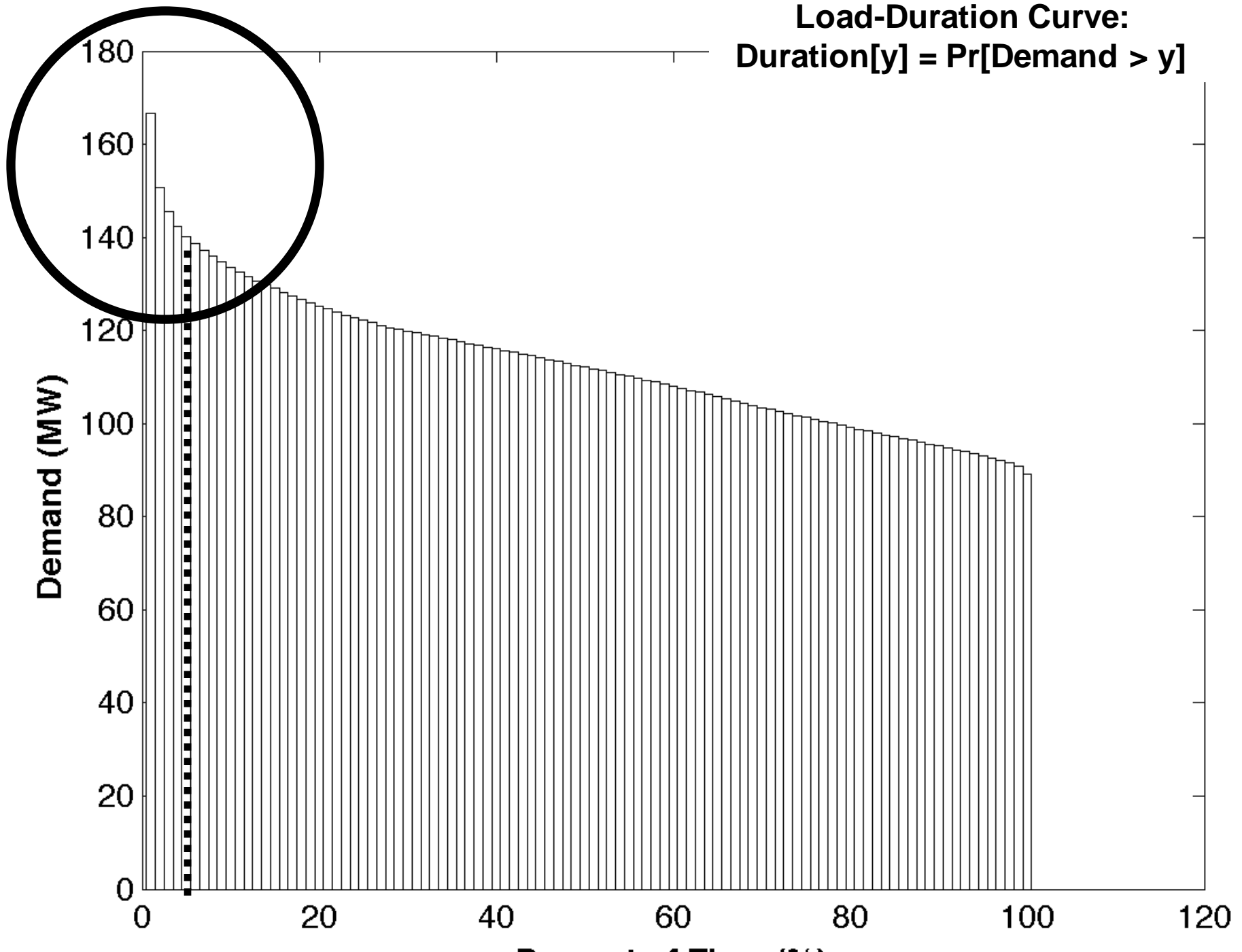
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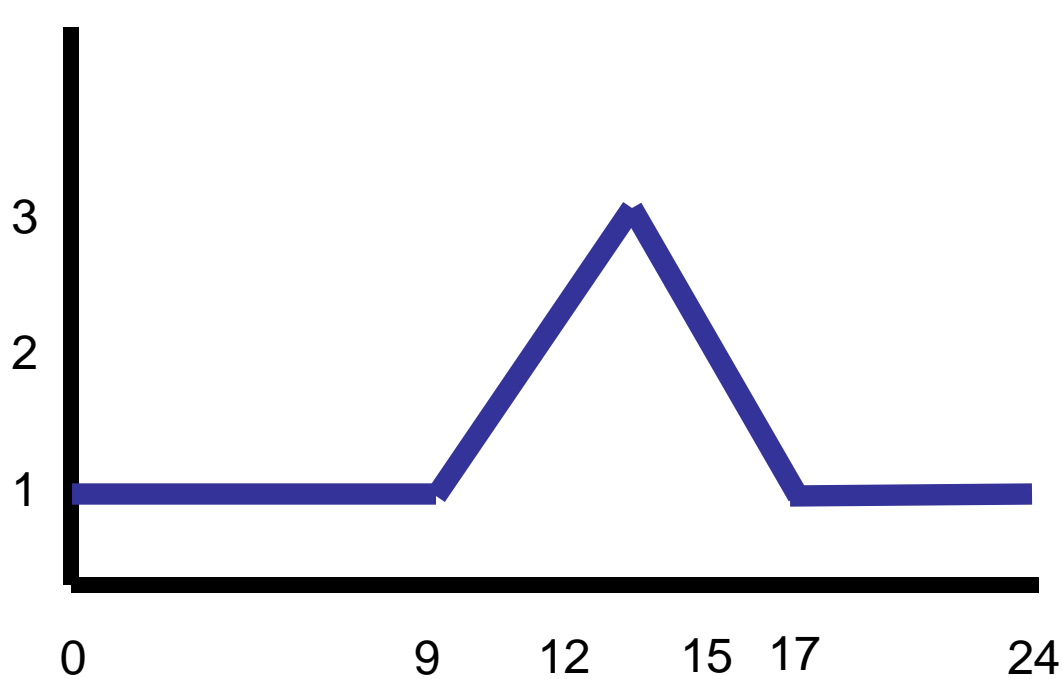
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**Load-Duration Curve:  
Duration[y] = Pr[Demand > y]**



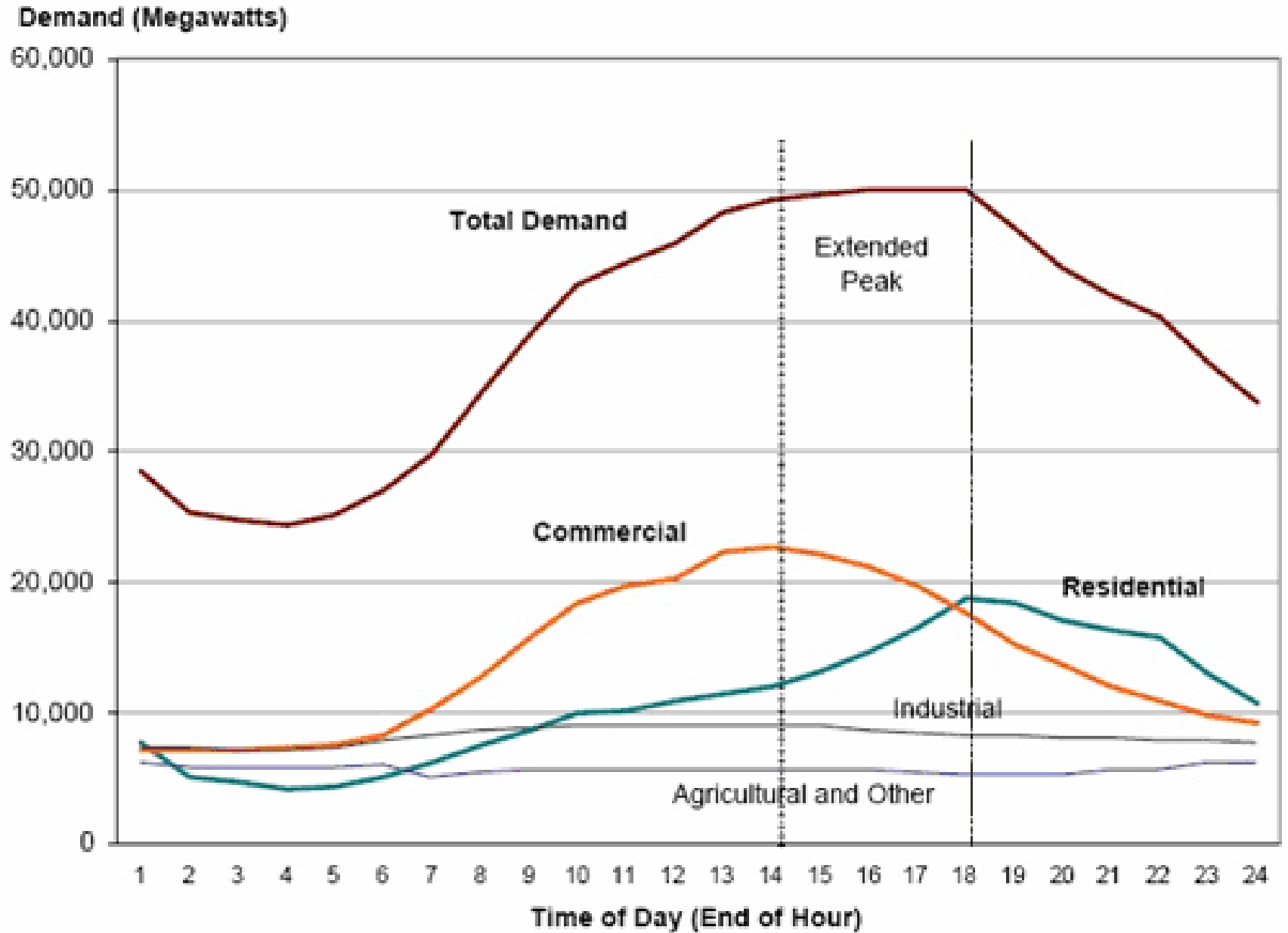
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**Load Curve**

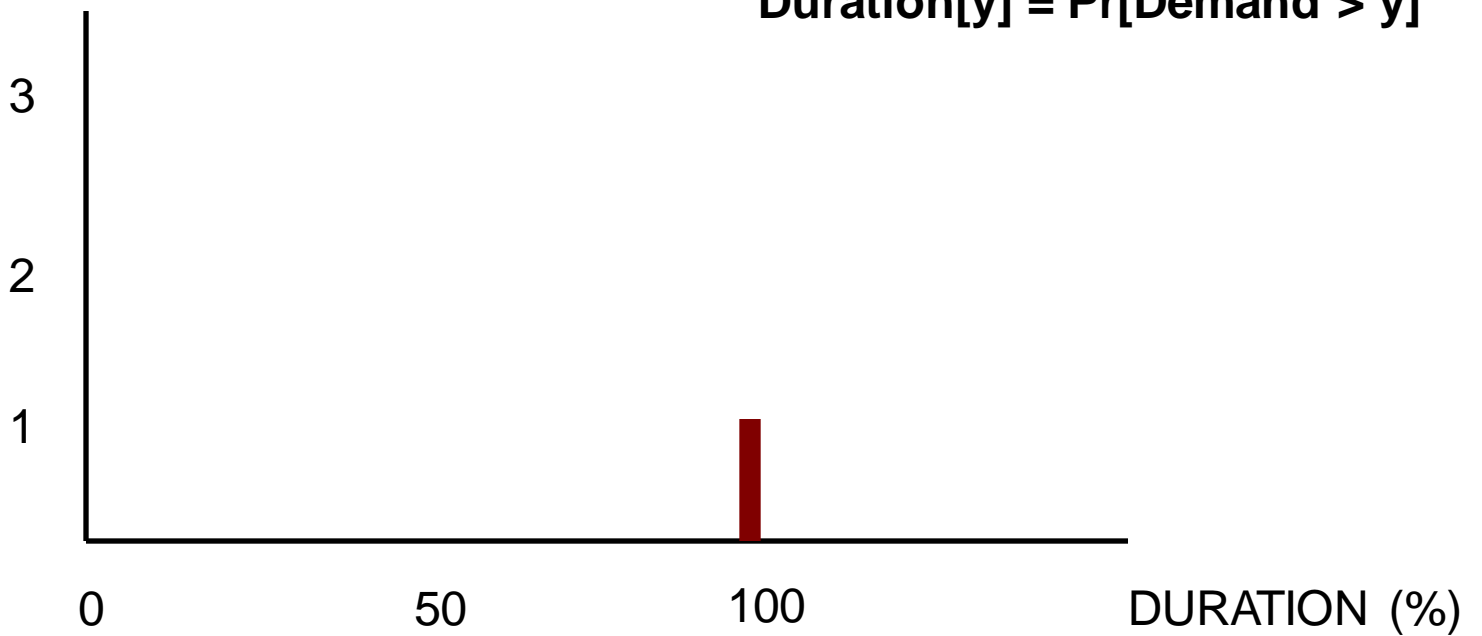
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# Daily variations (UK)



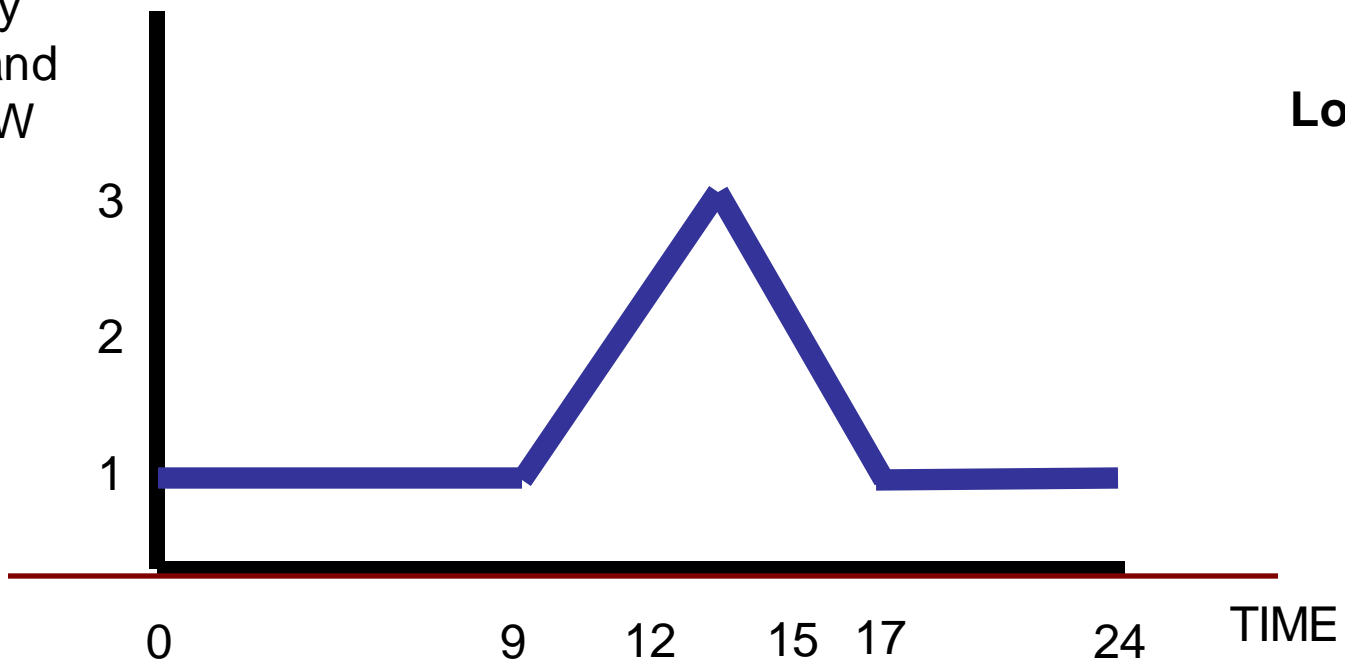
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Daily Load-Duration Curve:  
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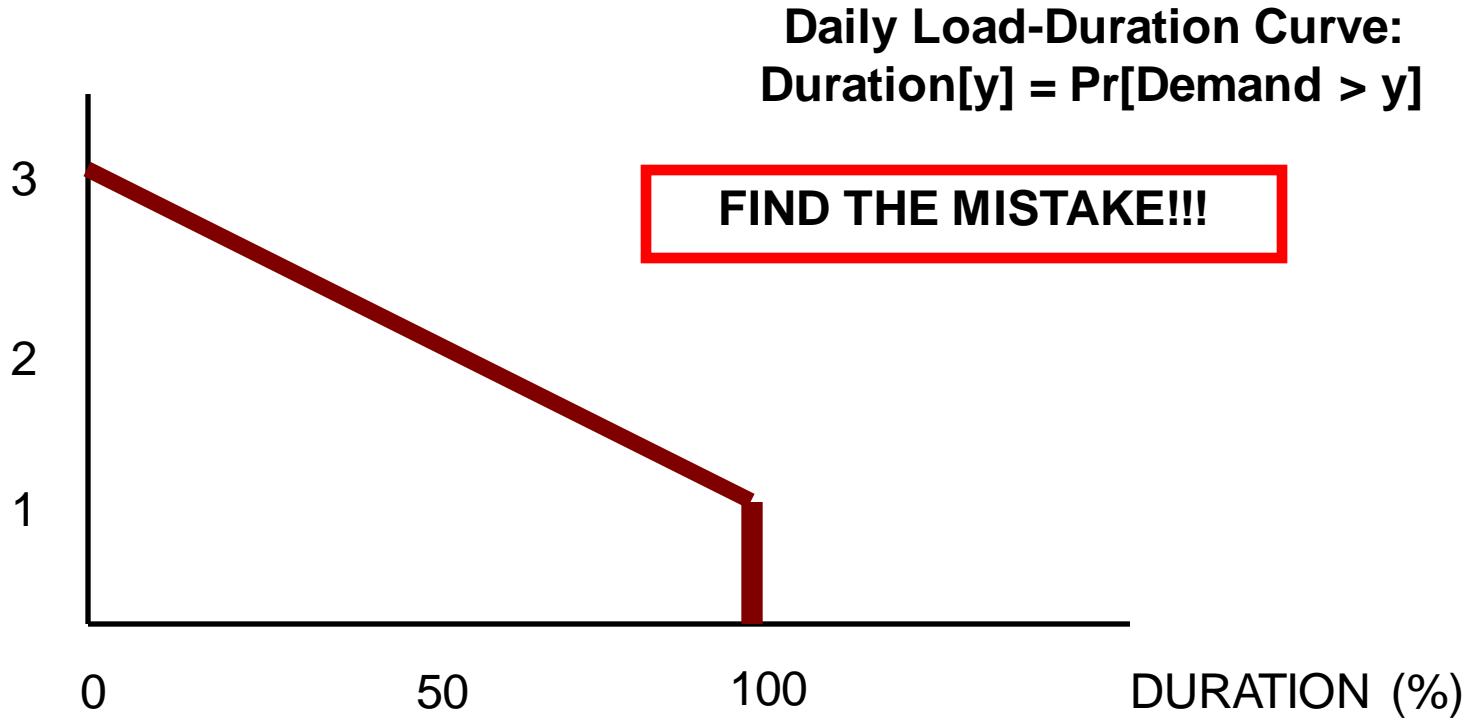
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Load Curve

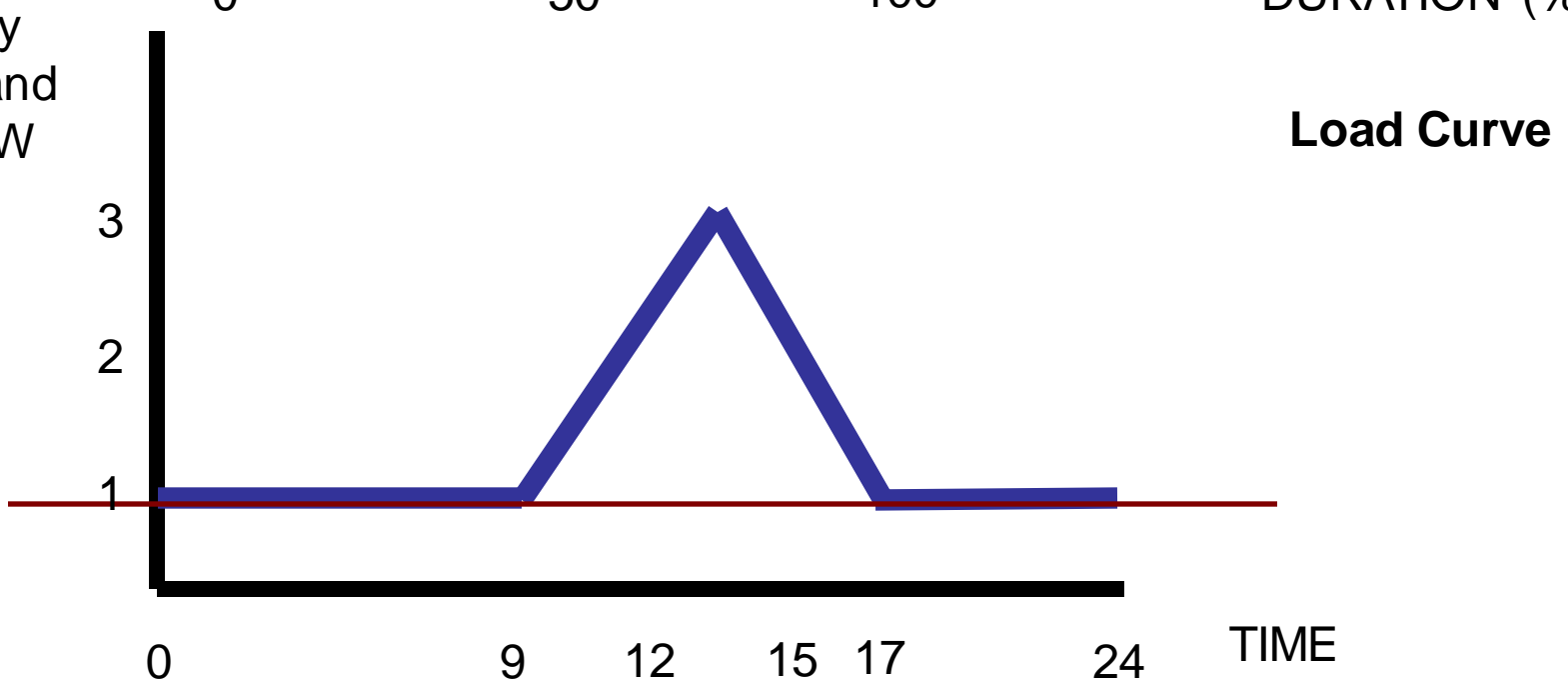




Daily Demand in MW



Daily Demand in MW



Daily Demand in MW

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2

1

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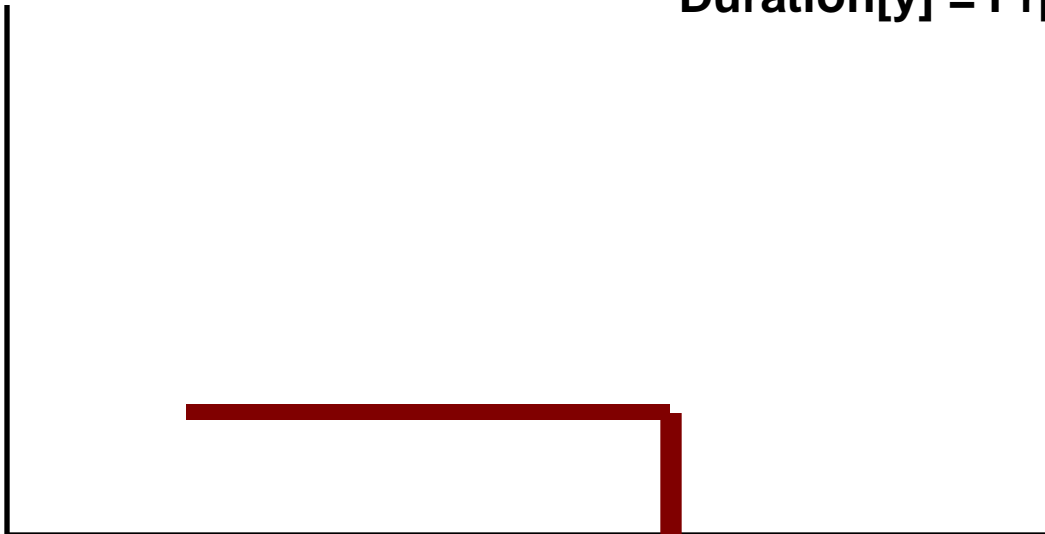
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50

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DURATION (%)

Daily Load-Duration Curve:  
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Daily Demand in MW

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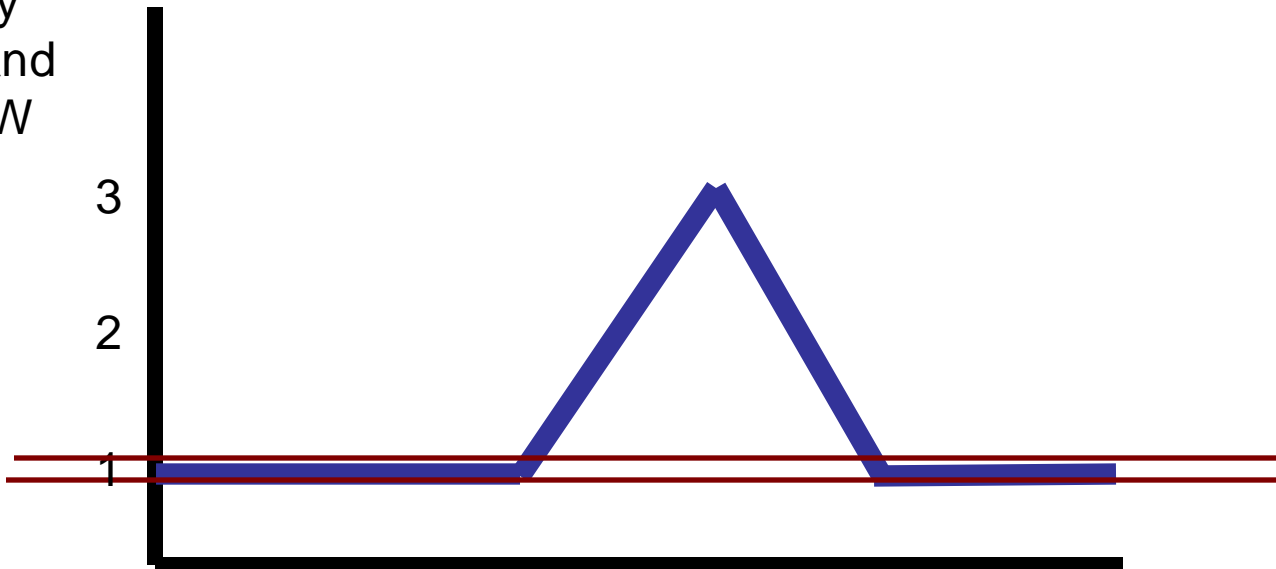
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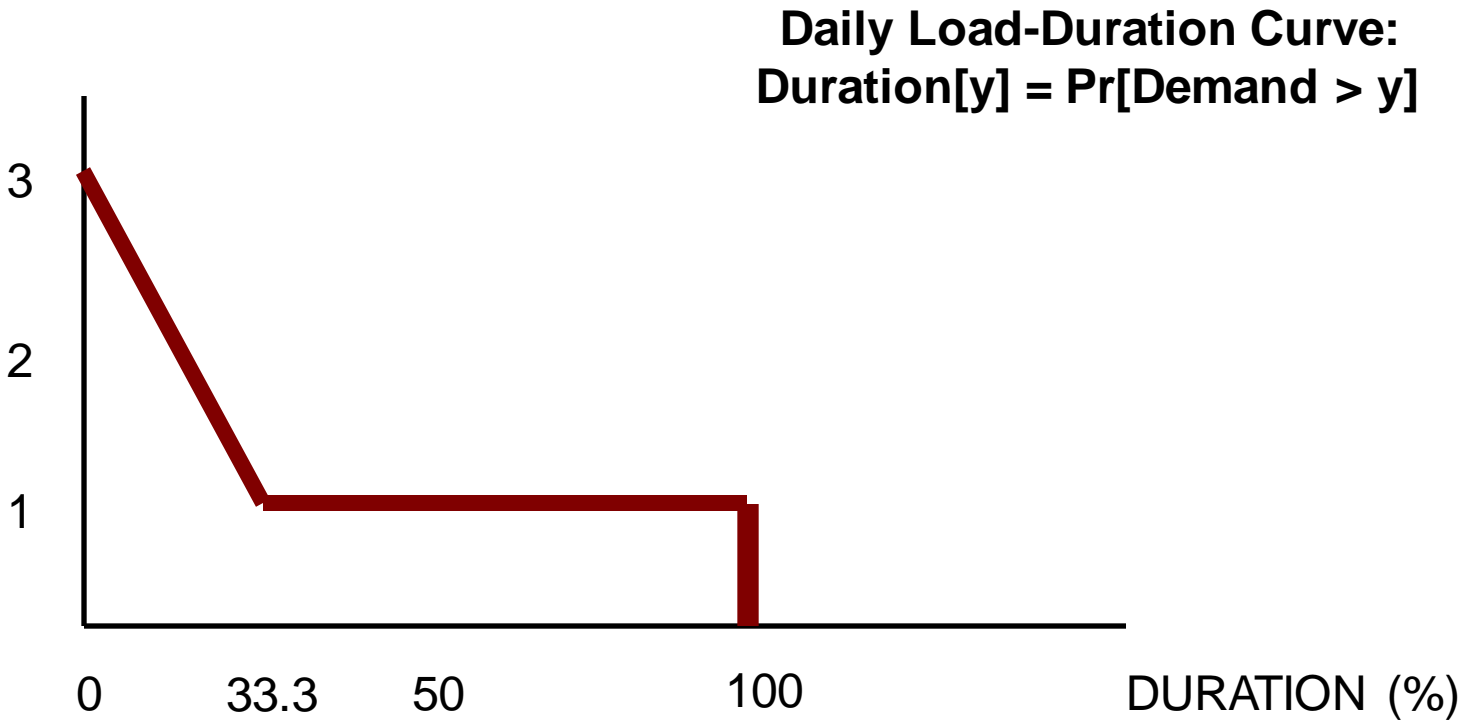
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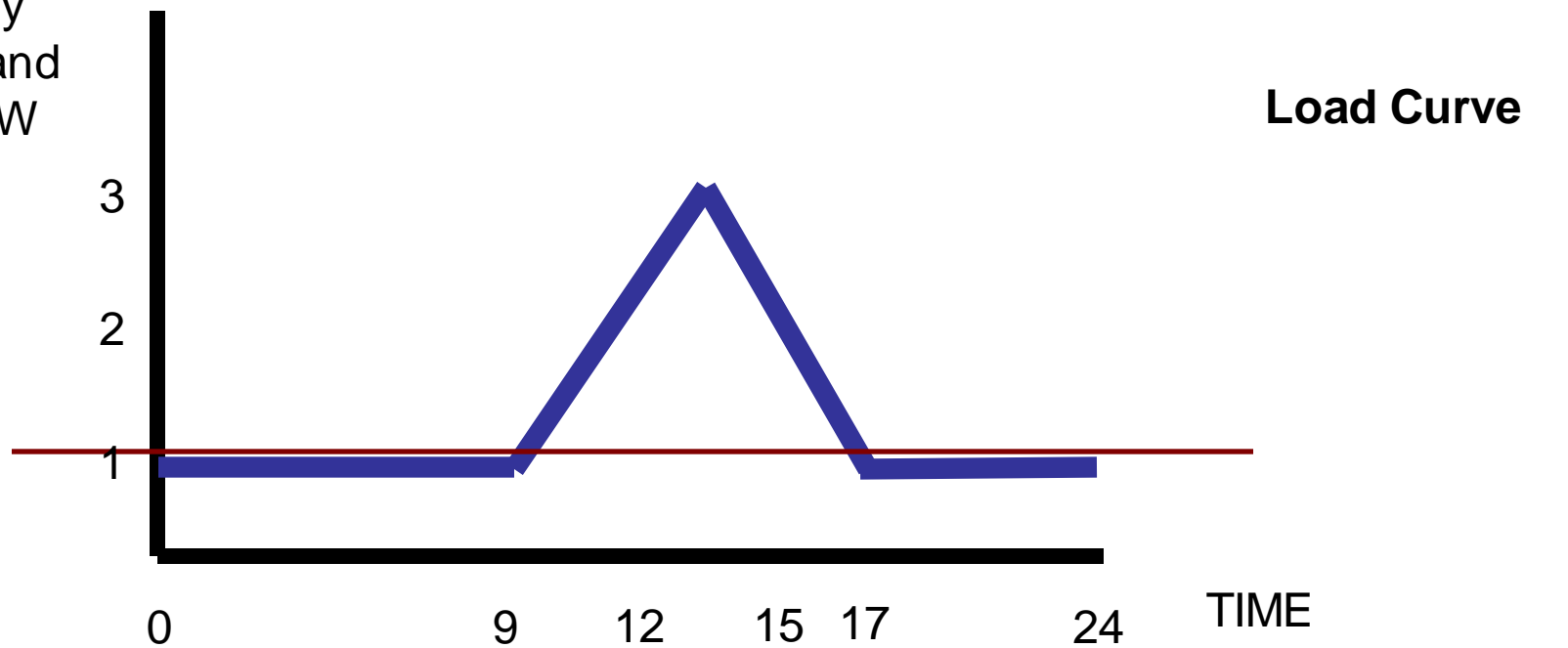
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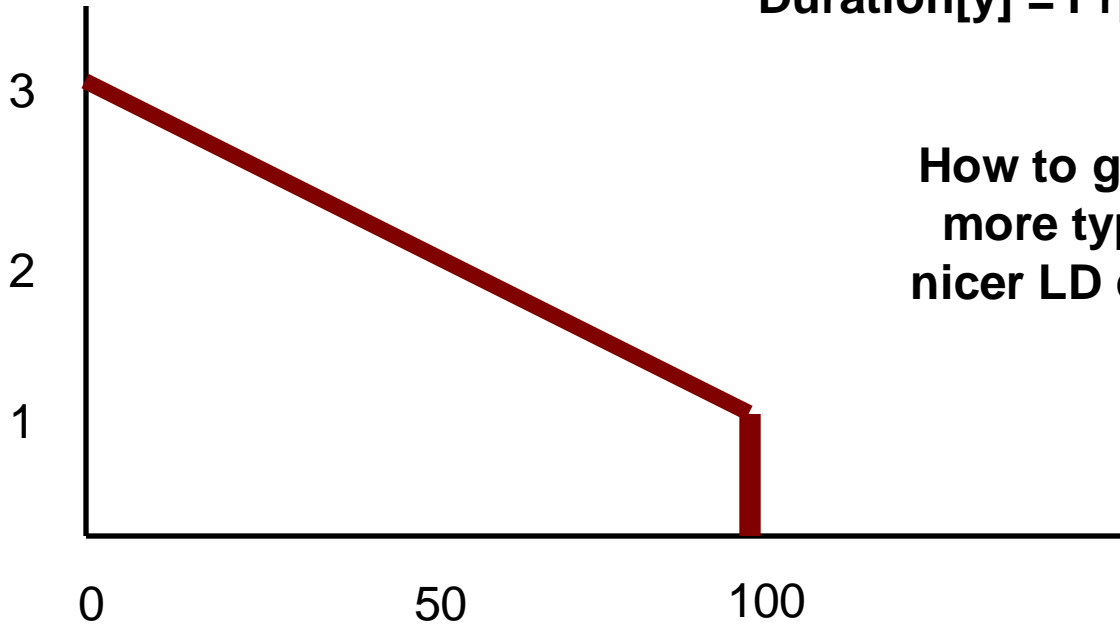
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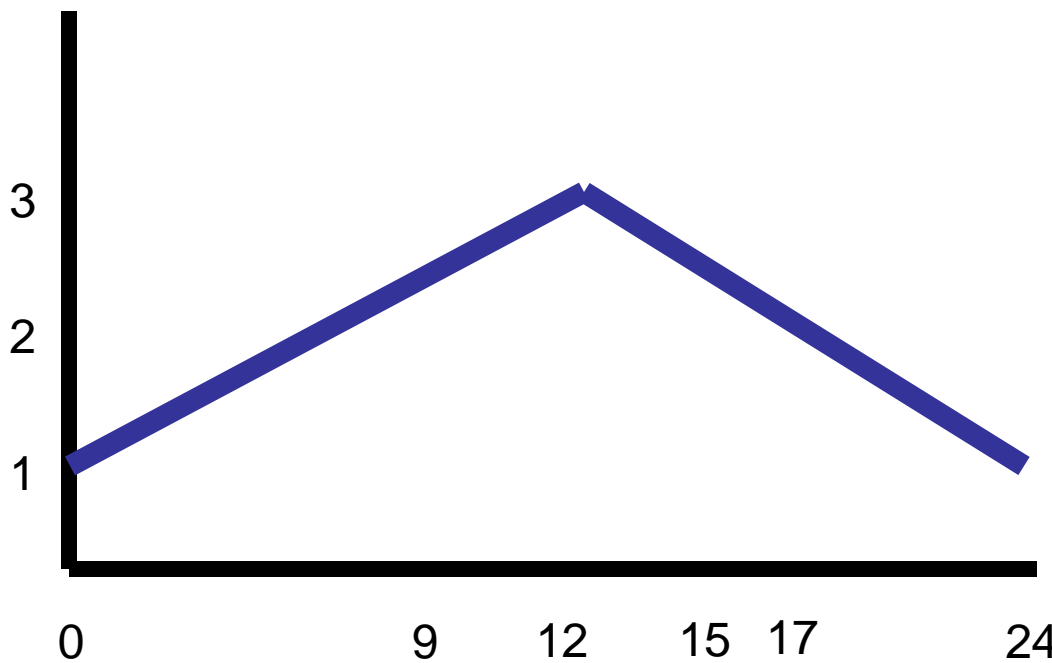
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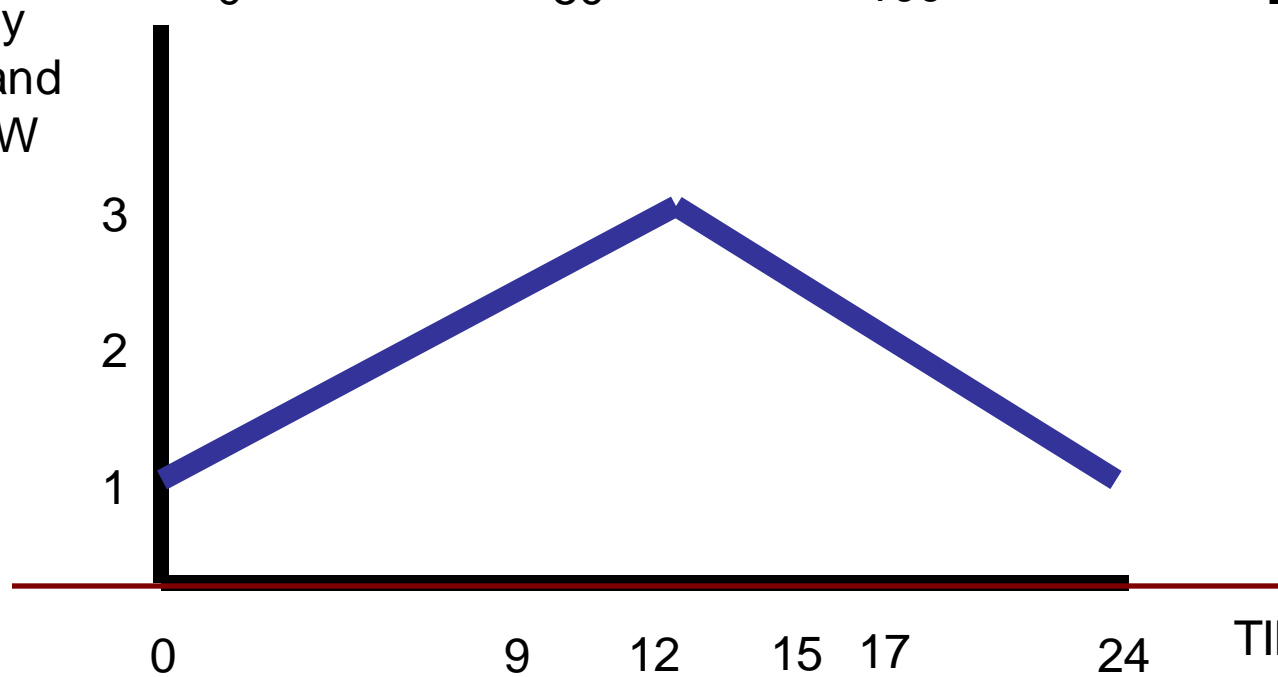
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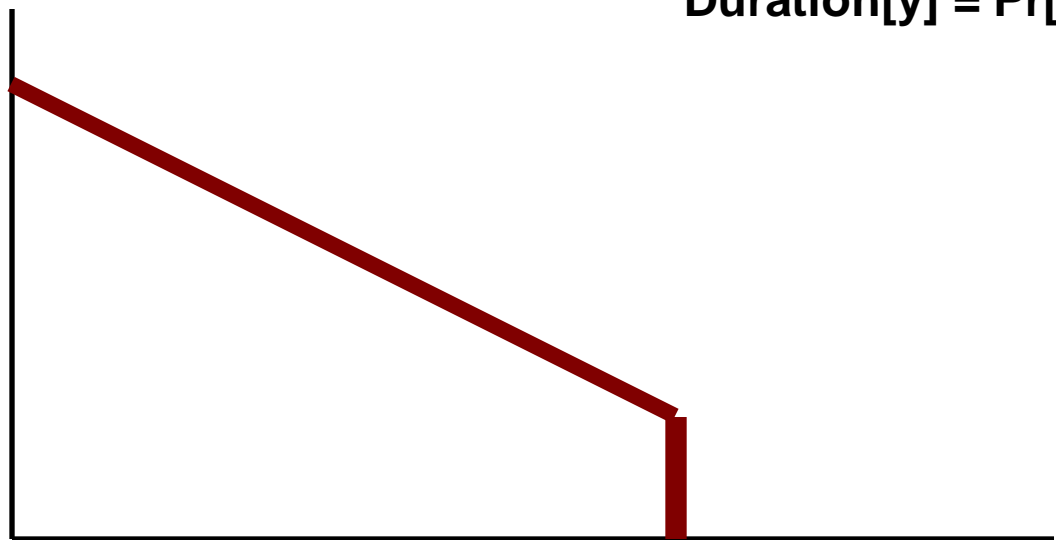


Daily Demand in MW

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Daily Load-Duration Curve:  
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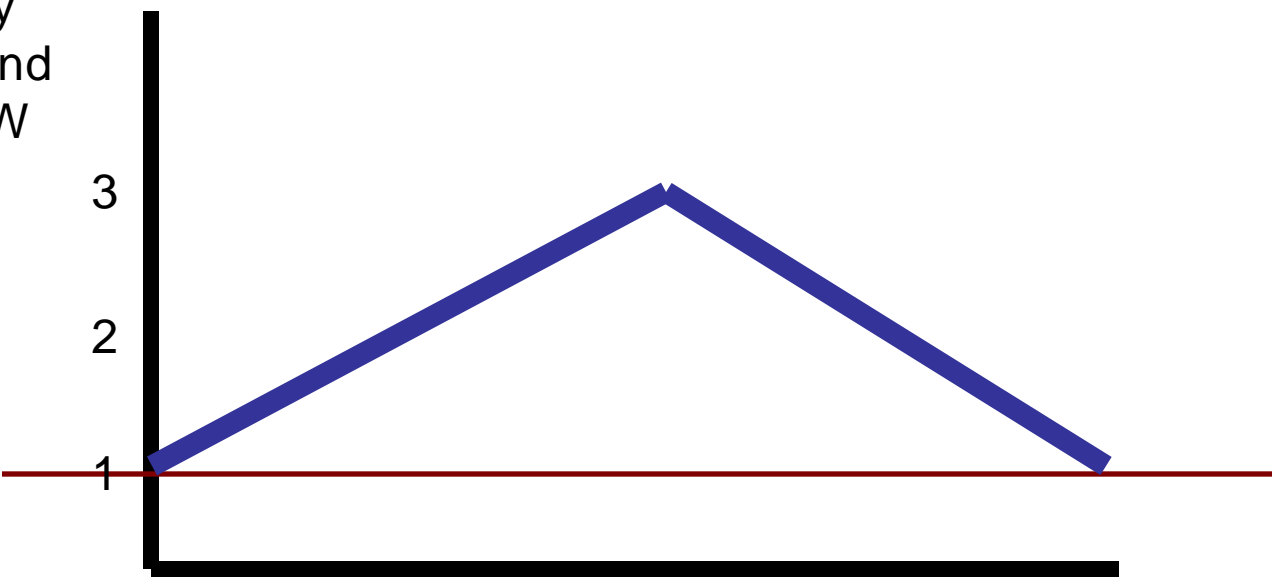
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Load Curve

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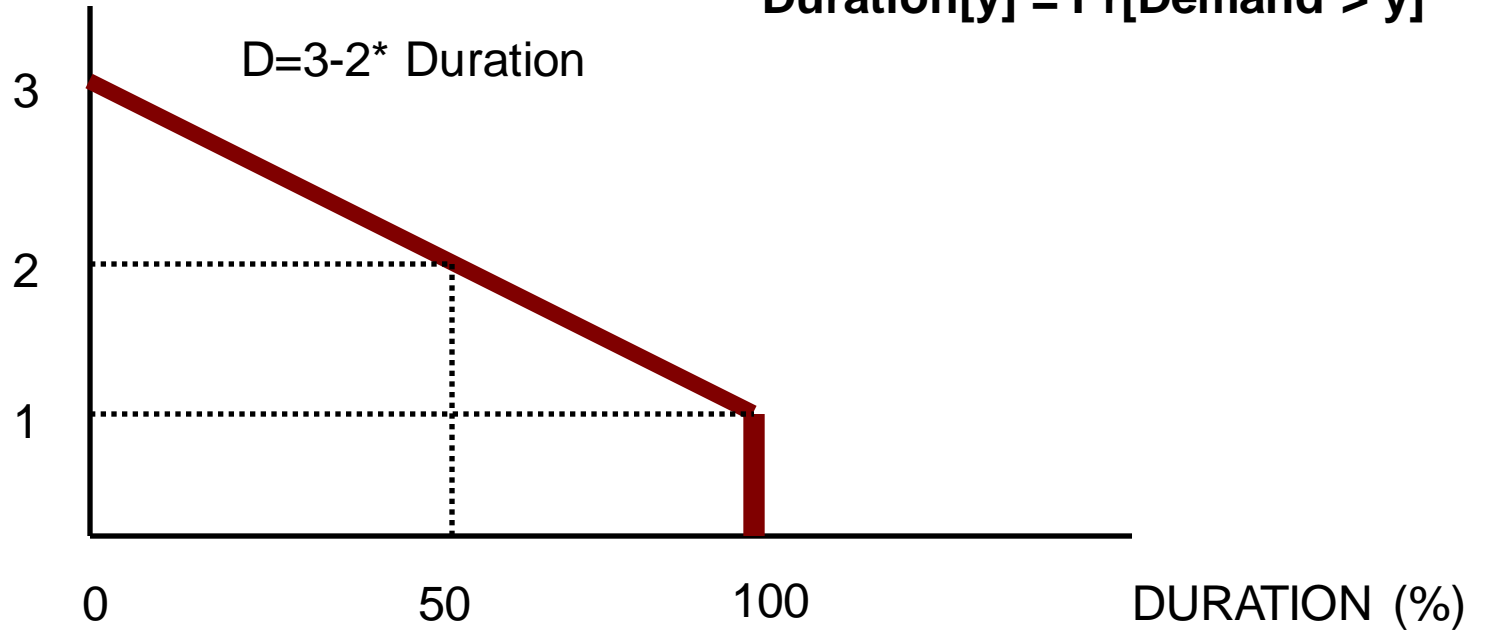
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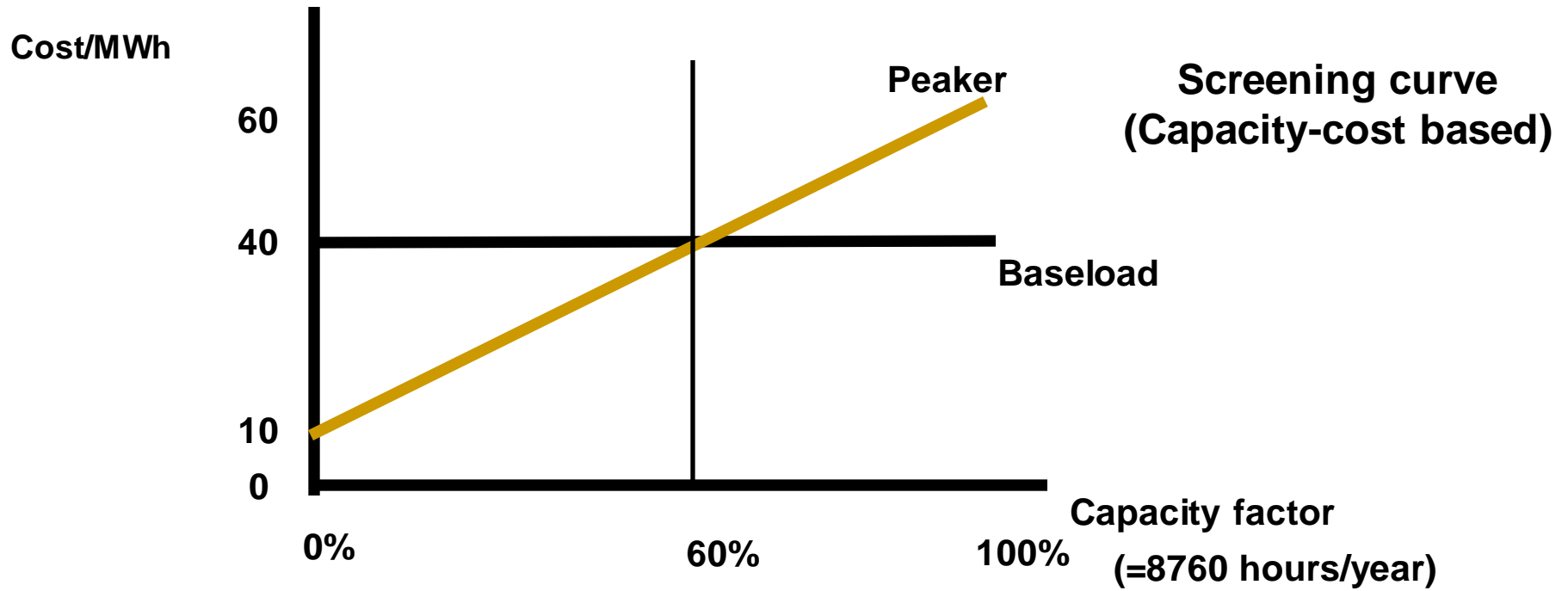
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Technology Costs Table

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Peaker	10	50

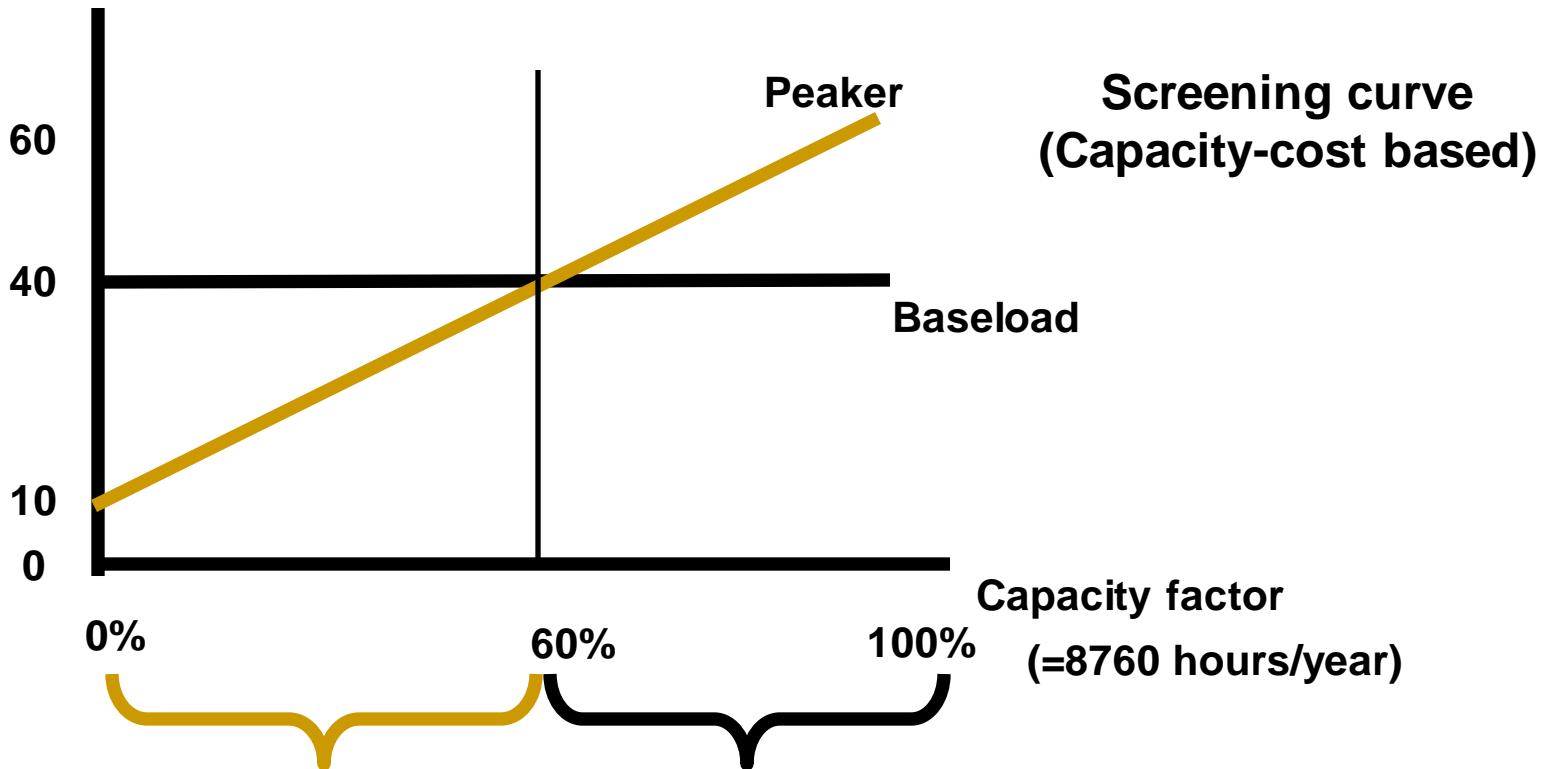


**Technology Costs Table**

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Cost/MWh

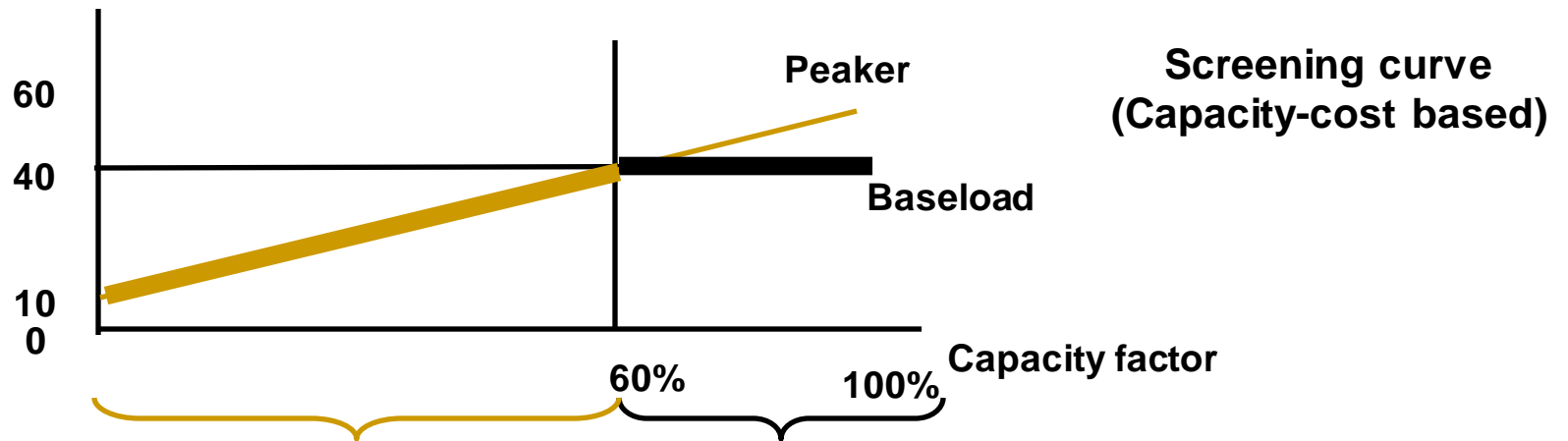
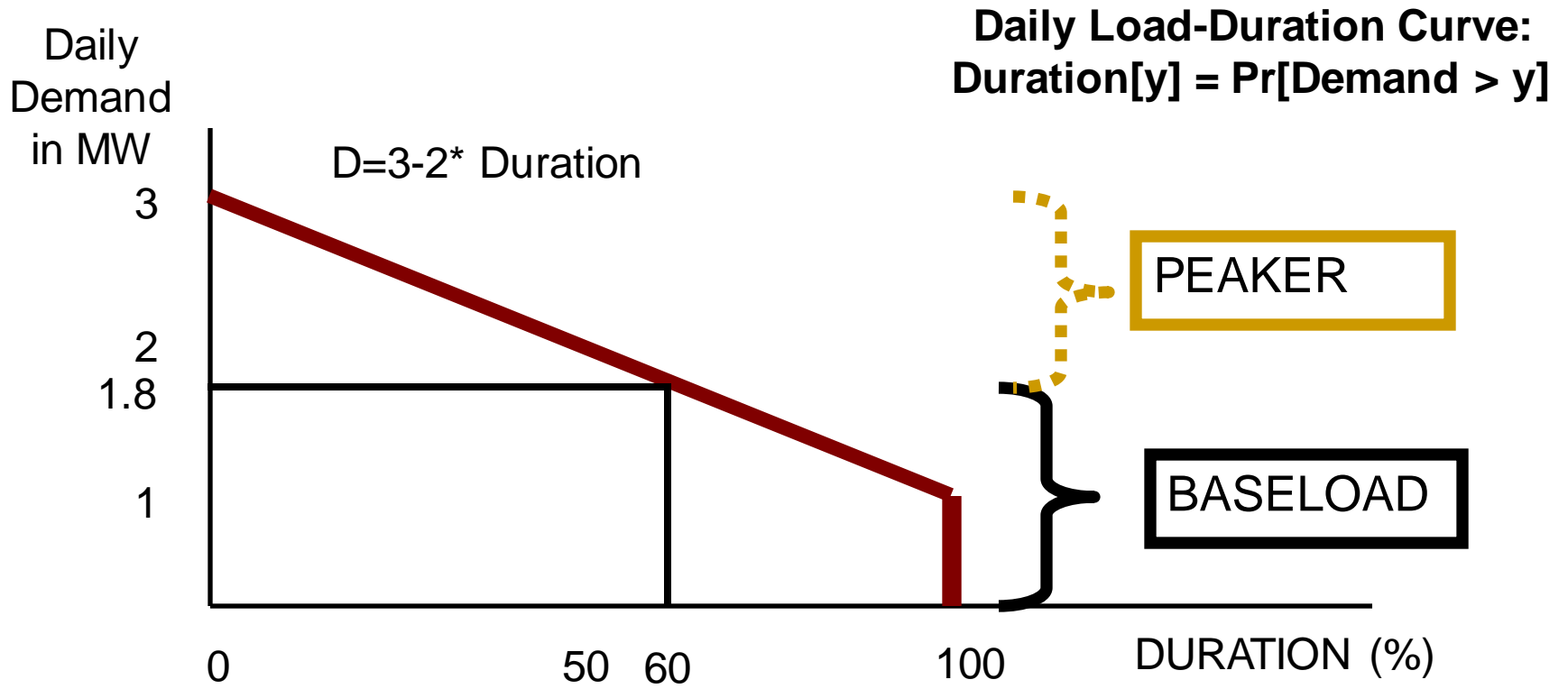


Use **peakers** when  
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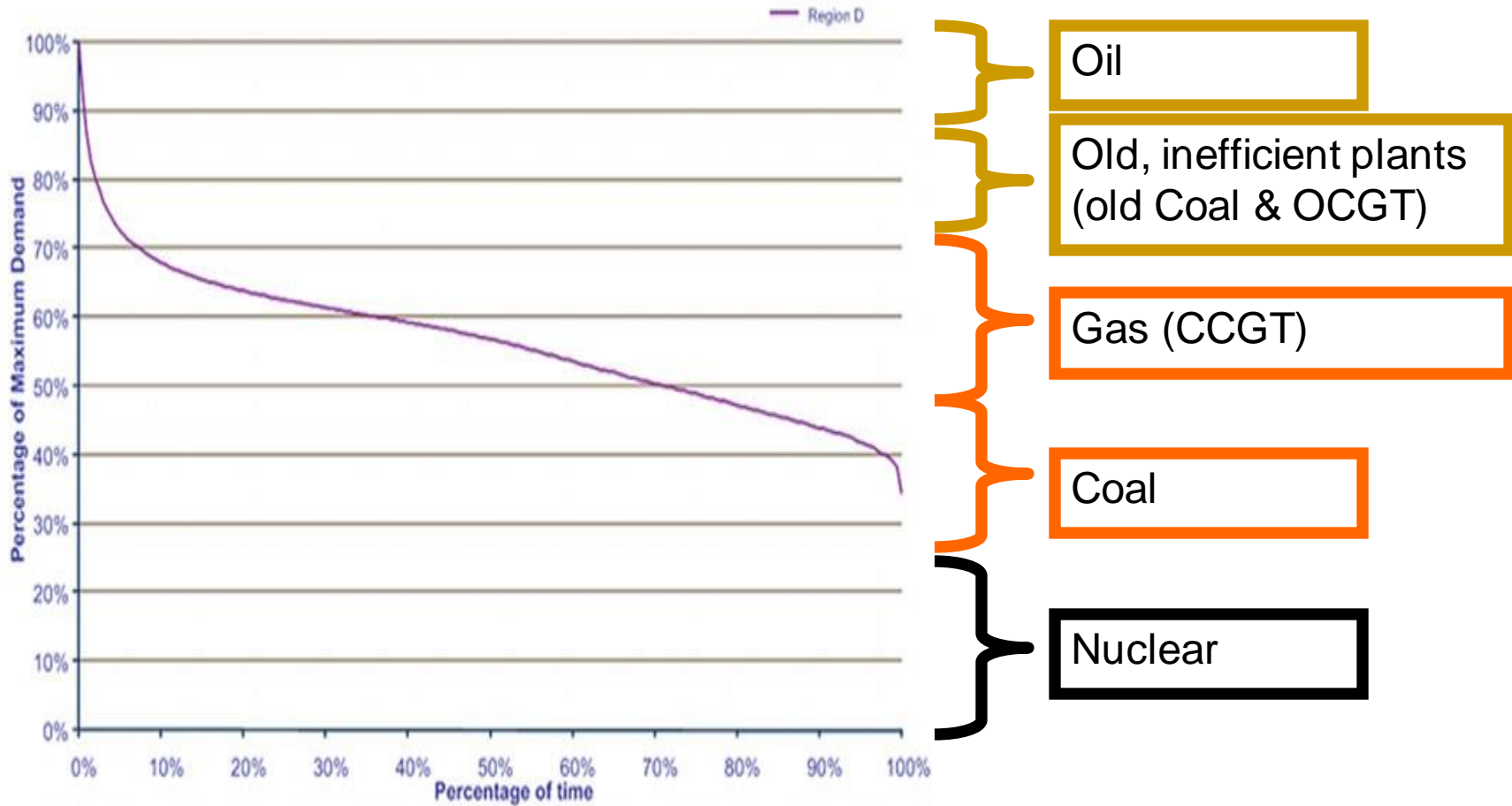
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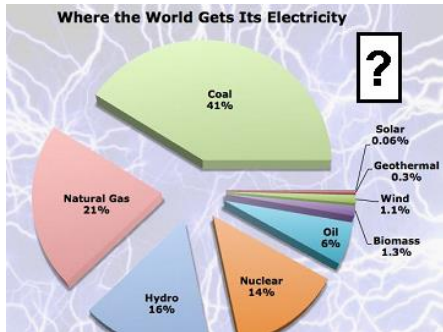
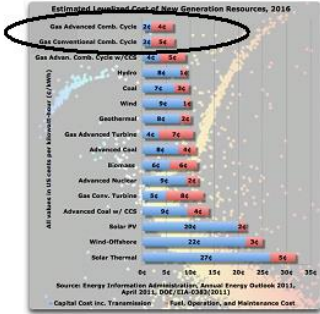
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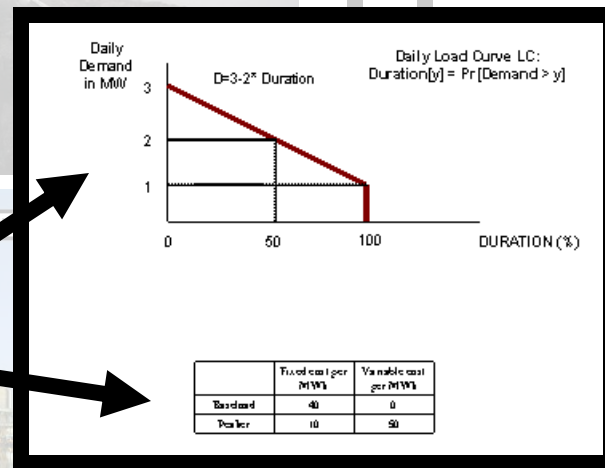
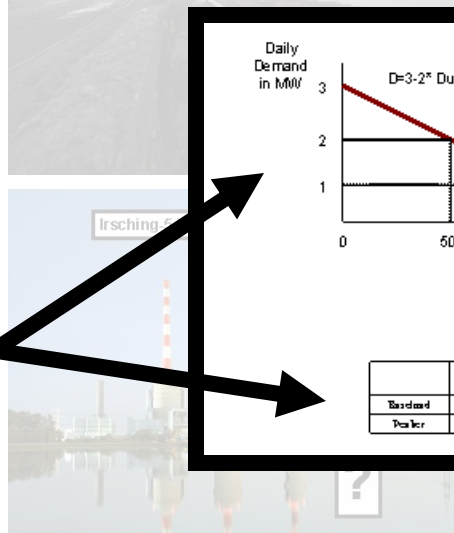


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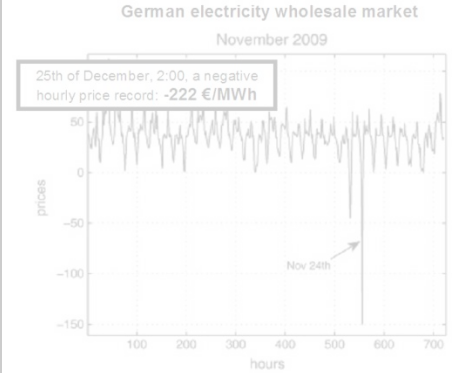


Different fixed & variable cost profiles x variability in demand

# 2. Why coal rather than (new) gas generators?

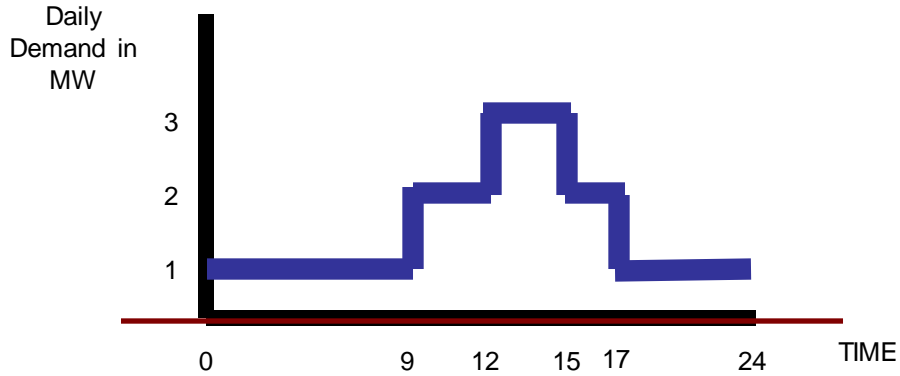


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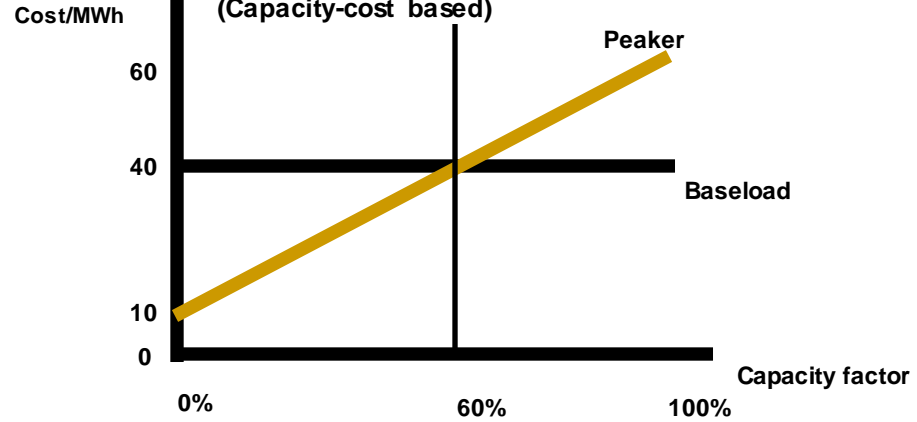


# Overview newly introduced curves & table

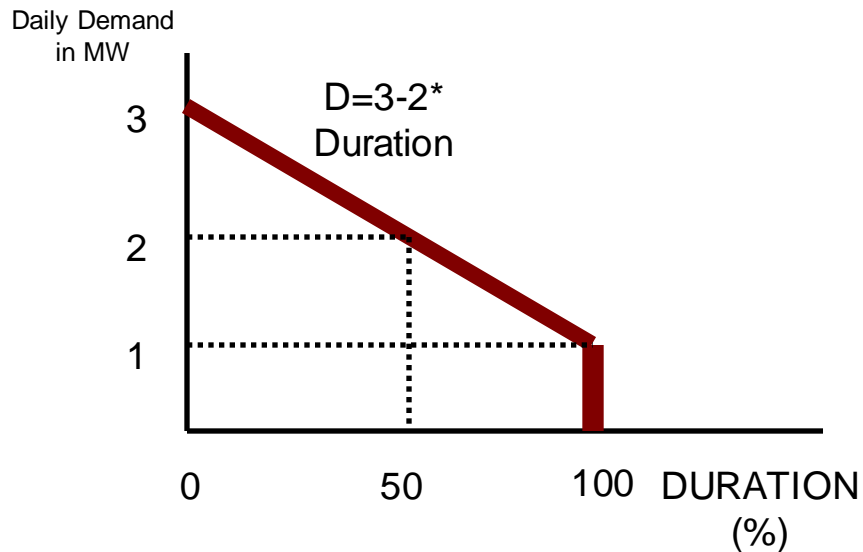
## Load Curve



## Screening curve (Capacity-cost based)

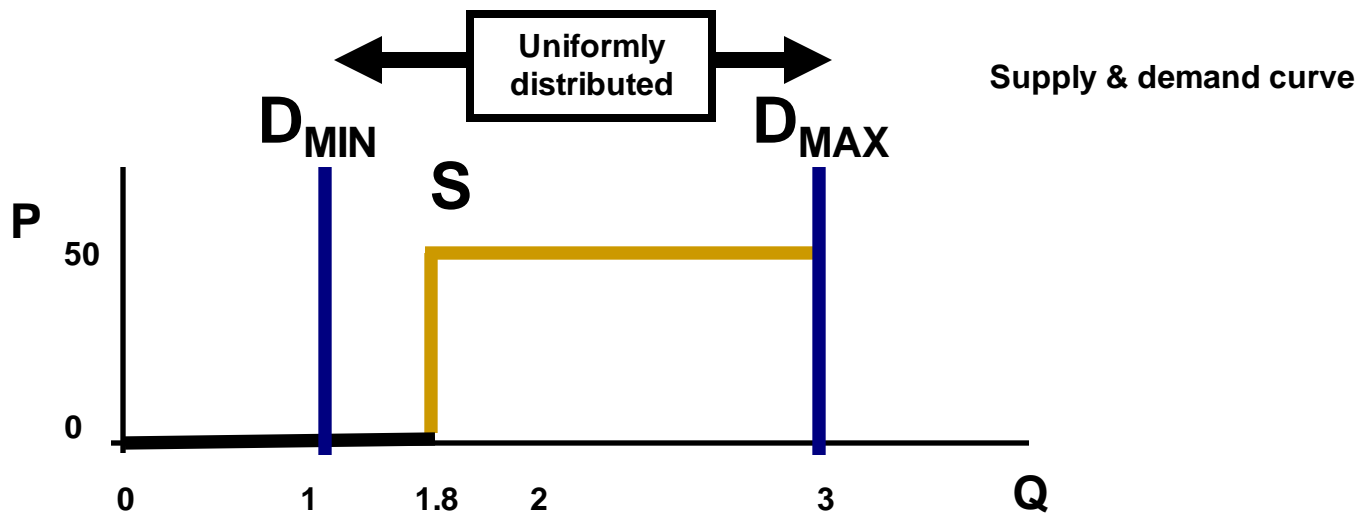
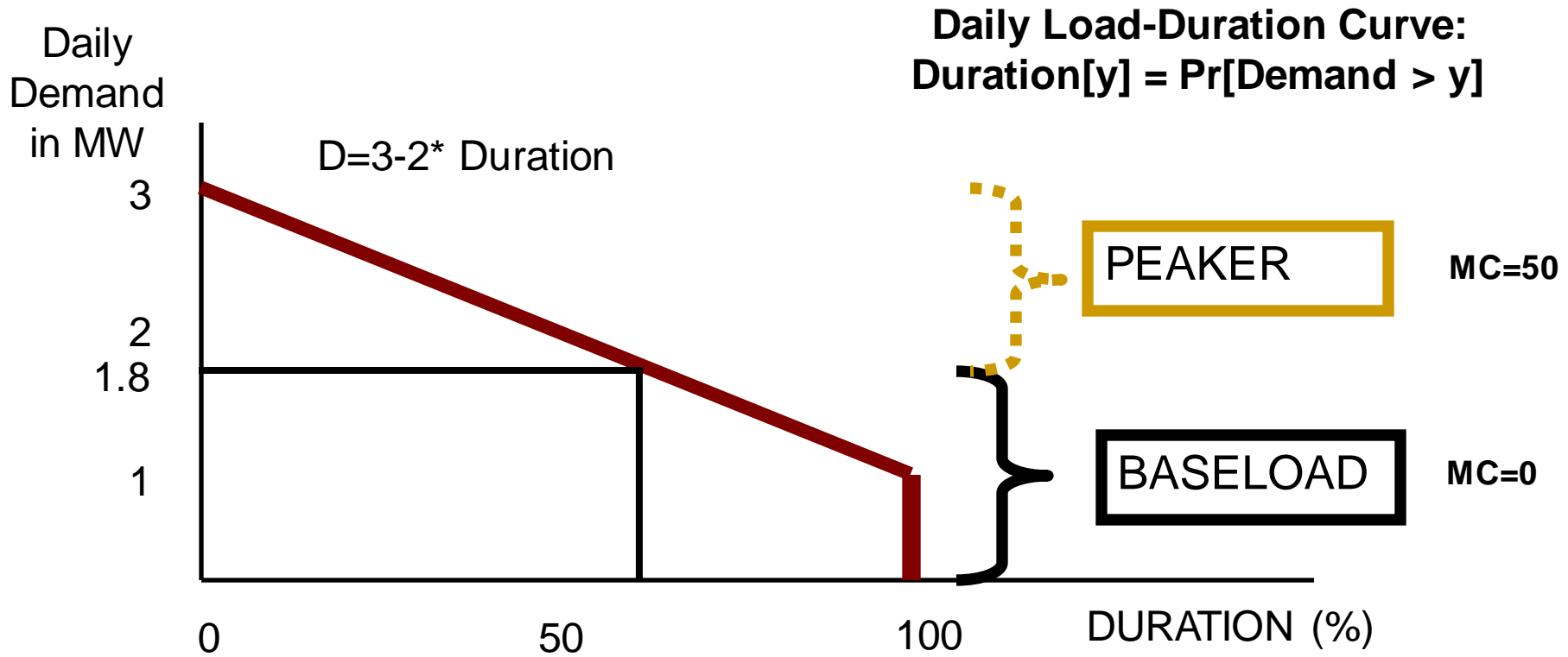


## Load-Duration Curve

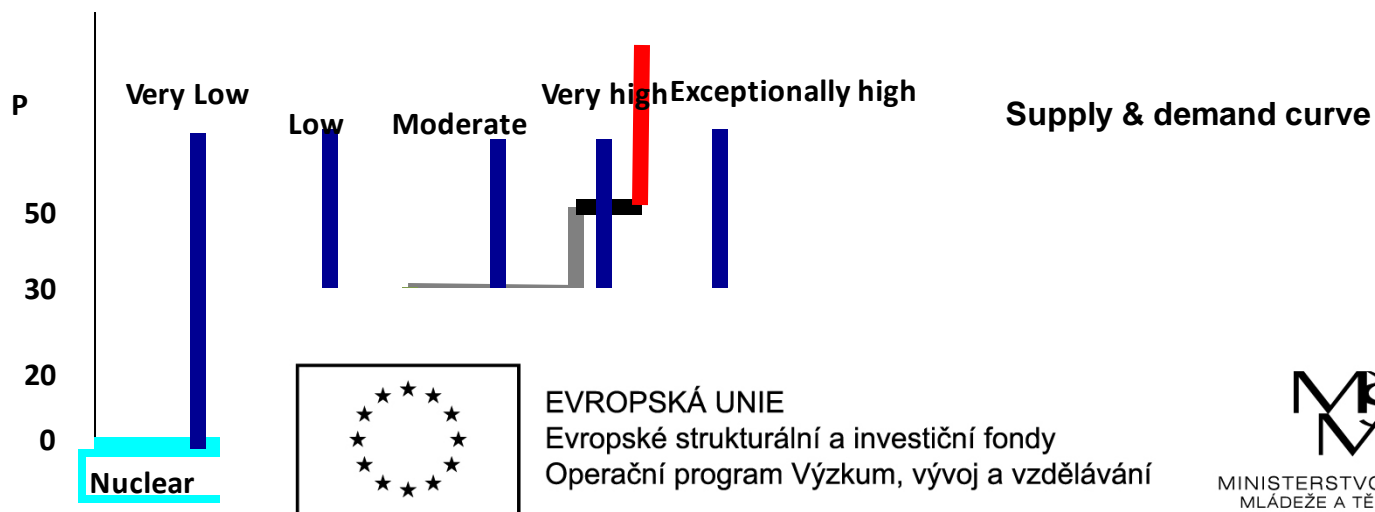
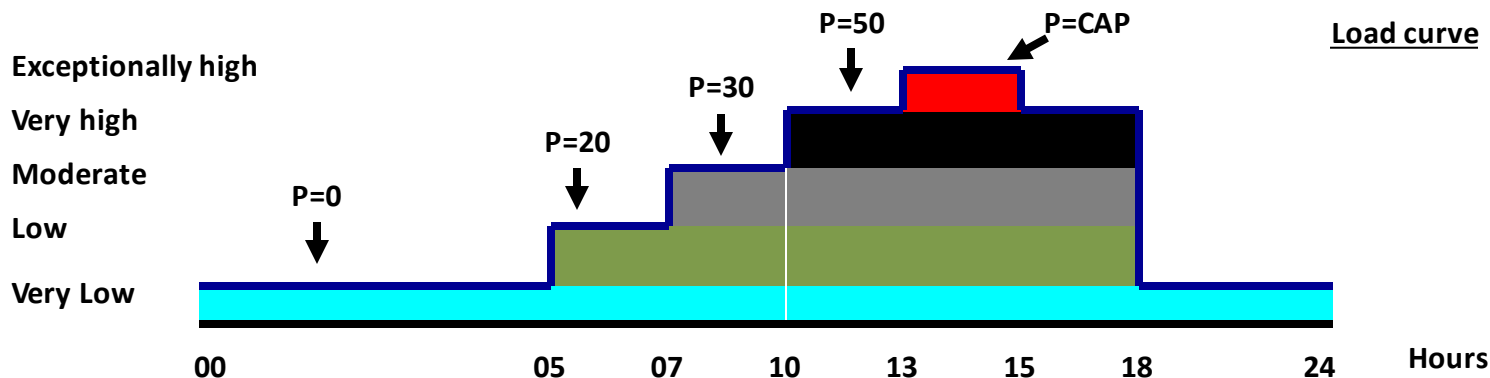


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Price is set by the variable costs of the most expensive generator needed to meet demand





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